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And the other warring the waiters a story,
And the other a star that is lighted in June.

Six thefts the doors structure
Rocked round on the curtains,
White through the lace the moon looked in the June.

Soaked through with the midnight the cockers
Their shadowy tresses outlined in the bright
Of the moon, and the star, and the lighted
Air's hazed, dreamy June.

Forever
Fierce, fragrant, fresh, full with delight;
And the kiss on my spirit
Whose love like a lily blossomed out in the June.

O, your stars was an ultimate anchor of blessed
Of the touch of your face was a tongue of
Calling
And clinging, your stirred was a refuge
And the sweet of your heart, I hope is today.
As I sit here, confessing
My crime who found so and missed you
away.

—James Whitcomb Riley.

HONEST DART.

A Sketch From Life in a Logging Camp.

"I'll hired a new hand on the Eli Dart camp," said John Haywood, foreman of the Big Pine Lumber Company, to the "boss" of the "drive" on Pine River. "He's old, and although he's a powerful man, he's a gentleman, but if I've not mistaken there's a bit of the devil in him yet. Keep one eye on him, however, for I don't give him a character because he's an

example of his predecessor; though for that matter, he's honest enough for all I know. He'll be here in the morning with the tote team to-morrow, and you can set him to work with one of the teams Monday."

Bill Talbot, the boss, listened carefully, flesh crew, and then proceeded to shout a passing interest in his mind. He recalled Eli Dart by a vague blow in the days when he logged head of the lumber. See if I'm not right."

"Oh, let your imaginations rest and fill your pipes with tobacco," said the foreman, in obedience to the cook's call, the men hurried away to supper.

Dinner, the time and place the new comer was to occupy, but suddenly disappeared, and after a search of the camp the company arose at once, leaving only several of the loggers and their wallets and blankets. For a moment the feeling against the rascal had been evinced by the disappearance of the latter caused, this feeling turned to one of suspicion toward the newcomer.

The latter arrived the next day, according to agreement. He was a tall, gray haired, angular man of fifty, answering to the name of Simon Dart.

The loggers soon discovered that the new hand was well disposed to be communicative, as, instead of the spontaneous friendship usually exhibited by the men, they made so overtures, and Dart, in turn, displayed no disposition to mix with the shadowy corners of the shanty and remained in it almost constantly, they would have been well satisfied.

He proved an enigma in the days that followed and did not try to be liked. Grave, taciturn, even serious, he mingled with the woodsmen without being one of them. Some of the men were disposed to, and the boss spoke of him in glowing terms of praise to the foreman.

"Good!" was the foreman's comment, "I thought he was not, anyway, a fit companion for you. You'll find him worth more like that blustering Dorson."

Dorson, the teamster, and came to the shanty for an axe with which to remove a log that had temporarily blocked the road just out of sight around the corner of the building. He passed and grew red and angry at the words. For a moment he hesitated, half a mind to confront the foreman and give an explanation, but he turned and went by another path back to the place where his team was standing.

The man was furious. It was bad enough to be spoken of in that manner by his superior, but another—one of that morning had raised his ire and caused his heart to beat with double force against his fellow-woodsman, Dart.

The latter had unwittingly fulfilled Fin Horton's prophecy by drawing a load of logs which had scaled more feet at the bank than any previous load that season. He always volunteered a high honor among the teamsters, has been the cause of many bitter pirating over the matter of scaling, and, as Dorson had been considered champion of the camp in this respect for a year, it went against his feelings to be thus deprived of honor than rudely torn from his grasp.

Giving vent to his rage in a torrent of oaths, the man temporarily demented, he charged, at the same time secretly vowing to settle with the interloper at the earliest time. Outwardly he seemed unconcerned and bore the good-natured chaffing of his fellows without a reply. Fin Horton, who still remained in camp, was somewhat surprised at Dorson's forbearance, for the man's hot temper was proverbial.

A night and a day passed. On the second evening after the scene, Dart, after finishing his supper, had left the tote team to look after his blankets, and the men were variously engaged, some talking, some dancing noisily in their rubbers and others in the midst of "Boone's Clan," produced from a harmonica in the hands of Fin Horton, and others half-lying on their bunks, when the door of the shanty was thrown open.

Suddenly Ned Dorson put his hand into his pocket and then jumped from his bunk to the floor with a howl of rage.

"Boys, I've been robbed," he cried, "and I'll bet a dollar to a cent that Dart's the thief!"

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"Boys, we've been robbed, every one of us have been, more or less, some of us of money, and some of us have been robbed of our watches. Search him, and if he's got 'em, we'll make him disgorge!"

The men were astounded at the charge, but immediately a murmur of surprise ran round the room.

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Party first, principles second, is evidently their motto.

Those they patiently suffer from the Republican platform, "Protection and Reciprocity" and "Home Rule for a Sectional principle and practice," regardless of "all the world and the rule of majority," to use a favorite expression of President Taylor.

At the recent Republican National Convention prominent Anti-Saloonists appeared before the Committee on Resolutions and with labored eloquence begged the insertion of a plank backing them in their temperance fad.

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The Committee, totally leaving their appeal, reported a long series of resolutions, based as an opinion on themselves or temperance question, and which the Convention adopted.

But the Republicans had to come to approve the Dane in their path, so, after the final report of the Committee had been "unanimously received, a large number of the delegates rose, and the remainder being in a discreetly quiet, Mr. Bodeker, of Maine, sprang to his feet and offered a Resolution which read as follows:

"The first essential of good government is the preservation of the purity of the ballot; and the purity of the ballot rests upon the honesty of the people and the purity of the home. The Republican party cordially co-operates with all those good people who are laboring for the promotion of temperance and morality."

Vote of opposition greeted from that bulk and waste manifests, but loud cheering from the delegates.

The Prohibitionists laugh at the silly effort to oust them from their ranks, as it is said to oust them from their ranks, as it is said that the editor of the National Liquor Dealers Association was quite as moral. If not morality in profession, then the National Republican Convention, when in fact it resolved—

"That we recognize to its fullest extent the duties and responsibilities resting upon every citizen, and pledge ourselves to the faithful performance of every duty."

"Take we most earnestly favor temperance, and appeal to every member of the trade to make proof of this declaration by his daily life and daily conduct of his business."

The Republicans at Chicago formally drove the Mugwumps out of the party, and in a sentimental wonder of time find energy to try and keep the Prohibitionists in.

The Mugwumps will vote for Cleveland and the Republicans for Fisk.

There ends the chapter.

The Republicans at Chicago refused self-respect, when they hissed down Bob Ingersoll, who, in violation of common decency, hurled Grover Cleveland and Allen G. Thurman into the "infernal regions." To be unfortunate for any party or candidate to have the advocacy of such a man.

The people of this Republic have supported confidence in the Democratic party, and desire its continuance in power. The country wants peace, prosperity, lower taxation, labor reform, wider markets, low customs and good government administered by honest men.—*Governor Hill.*

Ex-Mayor Seth Low, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has openly declared in favor of Cleveland, Thurman and Tariff Reform, subscribing to the New York Pledge more highly than his "a Sunday school politician." He is the only Republican party about to consolidate a contest against Hendricks' Solidity!

Harrison is put forward as a representative of the principle of "protection," but when is it for protection for protection? The capitalist, not the wage earner? He has for protection made of the rich man's purse, and for protection made of the poor man's pocket. Harrison was six years in the United States Senate. As such he made a record, and by that record he will be judged. Among other bills that came before that body was one to restrict Chinese immigration—a measure to protect American workingmen by putting them on an equality with the cheap labor of Asiatics. Where was Senator Harrison? He was found voting against the bill! In other words, Senator Harrison voted to let the bars down so that millions of Chinese laborers might come to our shores and compete with American labor. Harrison's motto is protection—but protection to capital, not to labor.—*Indianapolis Sentinel.*

Who Was Senator W. Chase Thomas?

Mr. Cleveland.

The Philadelphia *Public Ledger*, "one of the cleanest and best newspapers in the country, in commenting on the renomination of Mr. Cleveland gives his personal and official character the highest endorsement. It says, among other things:

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He has certainly been a fortunate man in discharge of his duty, as he says R. Cleveland has also been fortunate that every effort to make him a "Star Route politician; and every jobbing scheme that has been put in his way has been defeated by his veto. Every purpose to do what he thought right he has just carried out, regardless of the consequences. Every effort to make him serve low down and cheap politics on the part of the Republicans has been met by his veto. Every attempt to increase the tariff, done his own thinking, worked out his own course, and has been as

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—On Wednesday, July 25, under the auspices of the Liberty street and Orchard plane.

—The Republicans will probably swing a banner on the top of the corner of Front street and Park avenue, in the shape of a star.

—A new and attractive sign, composed of white porcelain letters has been placed on the window in the Postmaster's office.

—The Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company has contracted for the erection of twenty-five new dwelling houses, in the vicinity of the Pond Top works.

—A change of management of the Park House, on Front street, Plainfield, has been effected. Hardware merchants will, we understand, continue to call if you are in need of anything in his line.

—A new, valuable set of 580, belonging to Mr. L. B. Sherman, of Fort Street, on June 26, from the residence of Mr. Sherman on Seventh street. The animal left a fine, deep impression in the lawn.

—Mr. Rudolph Lamont claimed the championship of Plainfield, on this Fourth, by shooting off his left hand while firing cannon crackers. He had balanced on one finger of that hand a stick of dynamite, which he intended to shoot off with a pistol. It is suggested that a political organization be formed among the boys, to be known as the Dynamite Club. There are a large number of citizens who would be a pretty good club to belong to, each with a torch in his fist.

—Robert Sandford, who leaves there will be almost total disappearance between this city and Washington, as all work exciting police will be suspended, and they expect to complete the job in two days.

—A complaint has been made to the police that a number of men are in the habit of congregating near The Crescent building, daily, and that they use a number of profane expressions while they were generally loafing around there on Friday evening.

—Some of the Crescent avenue residents complained to the police that a crowded piece on East Fourth street, near the Grand Central Depot, New York.

—Miss Wotherspoon of Front street, Rahway, who has been at work from an assisted trip abroad, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pendleton Rogers, at her Summer cottage at Asbury Park.

—Mrs. Hannah C. Adams, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James C. Adams and child of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Adams, of No. 711 Fourth street.

—Mr. Harry Yarnall formerly connected with the Electric Light Company in the establishment of the plant in this city, but late of Philadelphia, has taken up his residence here for the Summer.

—Rev. Dr. J. C. Hartzell is at present in Rangoon on business pertaining to Sunday school matters. He will start for Chattanooga, N. Y., on Friday, where he will join them later in the season.

—The family of Rev. J. R. VanMater, pastor of the M. E. church in this city, will spend the Summer at their cottage in the Alleghany mountains. Dr. VanMater will return to preach in his church until October.

—David Bodine, a son of Mr. John Bodine of North Plainfield, received a severe sprain of the muscles in the neck, while playing ball, on Friday. He was under the attending physician, reports improvement in the young man's condition.

—Mr. Lebbeus Pennington of West Third street, this gentleman's wife, Mrs. Pennington, formerly owned the farm now owned by Mr. Pennington is a grandson of the Plainfield Pennington family of that name.

—Miss Bullard and Miss Brown of the Plainfield public schools, sailed for Europe on Saturday. A number of friends bid them farewell at the steamer, including Miss Fannie Bullard, sister of Miss Bullard, Miss Mattie and Miss Winslow of the Class of '87.

—Mr. and Mrs. John J. Culbertson and daughter, Miss Lizzie, are at present on their honeymoon vacation at Ocean Grove, N. J. Mrs. Culbertson, see Miss Emily Lee, is a daughter of Mr. John T. Lee, formerly of Plainfield, and now residing at Montgomery, Ala.

—Mr. Harry Campbell and Miss Eva Kelly, daughter of Mr. Wm. Kelly of Oak Tree, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, at half-past 7 o'clock on evening June 27. The groom is a brother-in-law of Councilman Witter of this city.

—Dr. Geo. W. Endicott, Thursday, June 28th, performed a most successful operation, by removing a tumor, about the size of a hen's egg, from the left side of Mr. Fred Stebbins. The man had been gaining in size for several years, and had become uncomfortable.

—Mr. John Crane, of Lafayette avenue, Plainfield, and Miss Sharpe, daughter of Mr. Sharpe, of Somerville, were married in the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church, of which he is the incumbent. On his return, Mr. Crane will engage in the grocery business with the Plainfield and Connelly Co., of which he is the secretary. On his return, Mr. Crane will engage in the grocery business with the Plainfield and Connelly Co., of which he is the secretary. On his return, Mr. Crane will engage in the grocery business with the Plainfield and Connelly Co., of which he is the secretary.

—Mr. Andrew Love, Jr., a son of ex-Councilman Love, of Plainfield, and a graduate of North Plainfield, has returned to Plainfield, after an absence of several years in the West. His reporters have not yet learned what he intends to do, but it is thought that he will remain in this city for the present.

—Our contemporary runs well for a first attempt, but the Standard has the pitched high enough. We would have that there are enough people in this and vicinity to support a paper with red and read.

—Mr. Edward M. Anderson, the many friends of Edward M. Anderson, will regret to learn of his death which occurred on Tuesday, at his residence in the Stelton section of Piscataway. Mr. Anderson was a well-known and highly respected citizen of that section. He leaves a widow and one child, a little boy, to mourn his loss. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the late residence of the deceased.

—Miss Clara E. Whitfield, Superintendent of the Primary Department of the Park Avenue Baptist Sunday School, has arranged for a picnic for the children of her department, to be held on Thursday, July 5th, at Tappan, New York.

—The death of Mrs. Sarah B. Newhall of Seventh street, was very sudden. With her daughter, Miss Kate Newhall, she was visiting her son, the Rev. Charles Newhall, who is pastor of a church at Point Pleasant. Mrs. Newhall was at church Sunday morning, and attended going in the evening. She changed her mind, however, and stayed at home. During the evening she went up stairs, and a few minutes afterward called her daughter's name. The latter went at once to answer, but found her mother dead.

—There was an unusually large attendance at the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being the first occasion of speed between local horses. The track was in an excellent condition, and some good time was made. The Judges were Messrs. Kelly, Van Sprake, Johnson and Williams.

—The first event of the day was a mile heats, by Mr. Zimmerman's team, Jack and mate. The mile was trotted in 2.50.

—Following came the most exciting race of the day, between Mr. J. W. Johnson's "Lady Thistle" and Mr. A. C. Vail's "Betsy Bobbett." The first heat was hotly contested, both horses crossing the finish at the same time. The heat was declared a dead heat. Time 2.47½. *The second heat was also won by Mr. Vail's horse in 2.43.*

—The last race was a mile heats between Mr. John Hayes' horse "Andy" and Mr. Bert Darby's "Meteor," were won by the former, in 2.56½ and 2.51½.

—Following came a mile heat between "Carr-Not," owned by John Osborn, and Mr. Maldon Vail's bay horse. The latter horse won the heat 2.5 (?).

—"Ledger Boy," Mr. Edward Waring's horse, trotted two single mile heats with Mr. Zimmerman's "Dan," winning both heats in 2.47 and 2.46½. This completed the day's racing.

—There is a probability of some exciting boat taking place on the track on the Fourth, weather permitting. There will also be some fine boating at Netherwood.

—The Netherwood power was so gay as yesterday. Last Fourth the band commenced to play at 6 o'clock in the morning. Illumination as extensive; but yesterday evening in entertainment all other days by the ball game between the happy married men and the unfortunate bachelors, and *excelled all other sights in its ball* whereat danced more of the younger and handsomer women of this earth than on any previous occasion.

—The ball match was played in a grove at the back of the hotel, and whenever a fly or a ball was made the cry was "Run, Mary!" and then joined the rest of the players in an exciting hunt for the ball. The bride-elect was the unfortunate in four innings, but the bachelors could only make thirteen in five. The game was adjourned at this stage, and the umpire hurried in to see Brice for her bell mare. Then the players and their friends on the grand stand, watched a gentleman dressed up in a real pretty suit of blue and white, try to mount from the right side a new horse he had just purchased.

—There was not a large attendance of residents at the band concert in the afternoon, but at the extensive and expensive display of wet and "sweet" pyrotechnics in the evening, a gathering of many hundreds assembled not including the second left standing at the Plainfield and other stations by the evening trains that run in regular with such regularity of late. At 9 o'clock the grand evening entertainments *the prisoners, tunnel and blind*, of a number of the cottagers, was noticed, and other appointments.

—The ball of the night, however, eclipsed all past efforts of the kind to mother how successful. Major Thomas H. Cullen was chairman of the reception committee, and so hearty in his welcome and earnest in his labors for the complete gratification of his friends and every one, that all were satisfied. To Lieut. Col. H. W. Williams as chairman of the floor committee, joined by Mr. H. D. Brewster, and together with the assistance of Messrs. Ackert, Ackert, Plum, Martin, Rice, Ryer, Bridgman, Post and others, too much credit cannot be given for this perfect smoothness and success of the terpsichorean feast. Mr. F. E. Miller—whose care and service attracts to the hotel a class of people it has never before been graced with—was also untiring in his exertions to the entertainment satisfaction, and he did it. Supper was served from eleven to twelve in the large dining room.

WEDDING BELLS.

A large and fashionable audience assembled in the First Baptist church of Rahway afternoon June 27, to witness the marriage of Miss Lillie Randolph, daughter of Mr. Daniel Randolph, of West Seventh street and Mr. Charles Rank. At the appointed hour, the bride, a brunette, charmingly attired in a light silk dress with hat to match, and carrying a bouquet of roses, entered the church, and preceded by the ushers, marched up the right centre aisle, to the altar of her father, to the accompaniment of a wedding march by Mr. W. A. Conger. The groom and best man, Mr. Louis Van Alstine, followed.

At the altar the bridal party were met by Rev. Dr. Yerkes, who performed the ceremony. The ushers were Messrs. L. Van Alstine, George White, David Randolph, Jr., Fred. E. Sandley and George Randolph.

The usual reception and wedding feast followed at the residence of the bride's parents, from six to eight o'clock, which was attended by many of the near friends of the bride and groom. The presents were many of an elegant and somewhat prin-cipally of silverware.

Mr. and Mrs. Rank took passage on the 8:40 p. m. train to spend their honeymoon at Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

—There was a space of mirth and mirthfulness on the Heavenly Rest, Cemetery, Clinton avenue, afternoon June 28, the occasion being the marriage of Miss Theodora Wheat, daughter of Mrs. Theodora Wheat, of West Fifth street, to Mr. Charles W. Otey, principal of the Dunellen public school. The beautiful little edifice was comfortably filled with a fashionable audience, including friends from New York and other distant cities. The interior of the church was profusely decorated with flowers, vines and trailing vines, artistically arranged about the chancel, and from above a beautiful wedding bell was suspended from the chandelier. Rev. Dr. Hall, of Rev. Hall, and Mr. Fowler Pound, Mr. Fletcher Tilton presided at the organ.

From the church to the sidewalk the bride and groom passed under a canopy, erected for the occasion. The bride, a charming brunette, was prettily attired in a dress of white silk with veil and bridal. She carried a bouquet of fragrant roses. The groom wore the conventional suit of black.

At a quarter before five o'clock the bridal party arrived at the church, and preceded by the ushers, and two nieces of the groom, ascended to the altar, where the bride and groom were united in wedlock. Rev. Dr. Hall performed the ceremony. They are, however, looking forward to a probable return for a short season in September.

—Mr. Halsey Magie, recently in the employ of Mr. Asa Collier, has opened a jewelry establishment of his own on DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

Robbers on Cottage Place.

About 1 o'clock morning June 28 robbers entered the cottage apartments of Margaret Bunworth, on Cottage place, but were frightened away before securing any plunder. Entrance to the place was effected by lifting a window on the first floor. Mrs. Bunworth was awakened by the noise, and arising from bed, discovered a man crawling through the open window. She gave an alarm, and the fellow ran to his exit, breaking down a table when jumping from the window.

Fourth Thieves.

Some of the residents on West Fourth street, were disturbed by a gang of them on the night of the Fourth. One of them spent Sunday looking out of a second story window with a double-barrelled shot gun in his hands, waiting for a white cat. The cat is owned by a family on Fifth street, and is an expert at chicken catching. Out of a brood of twenty-six young chickens recently hatched out, this gentleman *has but four-teen all but five or six of them.*

People who have pet house cats would do well to keep them at home, or they may return some day with loads of buckshot in their carcasses.

A Handsome School House.

The walls of the parochial school at Sixth and Liberty streets, are already up above the second story, and work is now of the attractive appearance of the building can be formed.

The walls are of red brick with courses of white and black brick at each floor line. The roof will be pitched. In a niche in the face of the sixth street wall just under the eaves, will stand a statue of the Virgin Mary, about five feet in height.

There are four class rooms on each of the first and second floors. The third story will be finished as an assembly room, the entire size of the building. The beams overhead will be finished in oil, and left to show.

Mr. J. Potter Johnson is doing the carpenter work, and Mr. I. W. Pangborn the masonry. Mr. Jesse Oakley is the architect.

Plainfield Wins the Steam Race.

In Friday's Press was given the list of housing pigeons from this city and Newark that were to be taken out to see which could make home in the quickest time, and released at some time on Saturday.

From Plainfield left, Mr. Hervey Drake with 10 birds; Mr. Ed. Sharp, who has a record of 300 miles from Lovingston, Va.; Mr. F. R. Stevens sent "Mercury," with a record of 115 miles from Havre de Grace, and Mr. Charles Deane sent "Ariel," who has a record of 210 miles from Manassas, Va.

With these birds were "Tommy Snooks," who has an 800-mile record, and "Maybe-so," with a 500-mile record, who were entered in the race from the respective homes of Messrs. Geo. H. Bowerman and *W. R. Gerrahmont of Newark.*

It was the first ocean race under Federation rules that Newark birds had flown in, and consequently Mr. Bowerman was elated almost to death when "Tommy Snooks" arrived in his loft at 5:30 o'clock on the afternoon of the same day that he had been released in mid-ocean.

But when Mr. Bowerman received a telegram from President Hervey Drake of the Plainfield Club, announcing the arrival of "Cherokee" in his loft here at 2:31½ o'clock P. M., the Newark gentleman had nothing to say.

Mr. Stevens' bird "Mercury" also got back the same afternoon, but was not timed. "Ariel" and "Maybe-so" have not yet returned.

Entertaining the Children.

The teachers and others interested in Hope Sunday School, held a picnic in the chapel on West Fourth street, evening June 26th. About 250 were present, including a large number of children, all of whom thoroughly enjoyed the programme that was given, and the feed cream and cake that followed.

The first number was a piano duet by *Miss Nellie Day and Mr. George Schenk-maker*, that was well executed. Miss Carrie Dewey and Mr. Louis Newman performed a duet for piano and violin, that was truly pleasing. Mr. Mortimer Day favored the audience with one of his enjoyable banjo solos, and two little misses of Mission school, recited.

The most elaborate feature of the programme was the "Humanipheon," lead by Mr. H. O. Newman, and of which, the chromatic scale was formed by the voices of Miss Carrie Dewey, Miss Jessie Day, Miss Nellie Day, Miss Lilian Newman, Mrs. Fred Johnson, Mr. George Schenkmaker, Mr. Mort Day and Mr. Frank Newman.

The affair was a complete success in its purpose, and very creditable to the *Mission people. Hope Sunday School* has now eleven classes formed, under the charge of the following teachers: Miss Day, Miss Jessie Munger, Mrs. Hillman, Miss Lilian Newman, Miss Florence Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Strothers, Mr. F. H. Andrews, Mr. Amos Andrews, Mr. Fountaine, and Mr. H. R. Munger.

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Among the guests at Hotel Netherwood, is Mr. H. A. LaFetra, of Brooklyn, who although socially one of the quietest and most unassuming of gentlemen, has behind him a history of indomitable pluck and perseverity, a large part of the unprecedented growth and success of Plainfield's two most prominent business men, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Strothers, Mr. F. H. Andrews, Mr. Amos Andrews, Mr. Fountaine, and Mr. H. R. Munger.

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Mr. LaFetra is the head of the advertising department of the Royal Baking Powder Co., and spent in twelve months $250,000 in advertising the simple little culinary article that New York alone purchases, one million dollars or.

Of course it is no great feat to spend $300,000 a year in advertising, but to spend it in a direction and a way that will produce results commensurate with the investment, is another matter. Mr. LaFetra possesses these in an unusual degree, besides a thorough knowledge of the worth of every periodical in the United States. There are 6,000 of these papers and magazines, but the Royal's ads. are placed by contracting in cost from $1,000 for an insertion of a single advertisement in the best, to four dollars a month in others. The rare faculty of discerning at a glance the worth of any position offered—and its value to the Company judged by the paper and the community and class in which it circulates—is a gift possessed by few, and a power of insight that the gentleman who speak of is marvellously endowed with.

With Mr. LaFetra at The Netherwood are Mrs. LaFetra, Miss LaFetra and Mr. Harry LaFetra, Jr. They leave for the Thousand Islands on Monday. It is *their Sixth visit to Netherwood, and* so pleased are they that had not their rooms been engaged elsewhere, their stay here would be longer. They are, however, looking forward to a probable return for a short season in September.

A committee was appointed to draft suitable resolutions of sympathy, and to have them published in Trend Press and a copy sent to the family of the late brother.

Down the Record.

A brood mare belonging to Mr. Henry Bandy, gave birth to twin colts, Tuesday. One of the colts, however, has since died, but the other one is apparently strong and healthy. This breaks the record and is considered something remarkable. The mother should be exhibited at the County fair.

100 Octogenarians in Plainfield.

A correspondent of the *Home Journal* in a half-column article in praise of West Netherwood, says among other nice things: "The drives in the neighborhood are other fine macadamized roads. The hotel is surrounded by a park of about three acres, with fine lawns and old oak trees. As an evidence of the healthfulness of this locality, I am informed that in Plainfield there are living, today, one hundred men eighty years old. There is a sense of restfulness and quietude about this lovely place."

Last Night's Fire.

About 10 o'clock night June 27, fire was discovered in the dilapidated and unoccupied house on Twelfth road, Front Midway avenue. The building was formerly used as a small-pox hospital, but of late the dwelling has not been tenanted, except by tramps.

The fire rapidly gained headway, and illuminated the heavens for a long distance around. No place was sent of, however, and the structure was totally destroyed. The building was owned by Mr. Warren Ackerman of Scotch Plains, who purchased it some time since of Dr. Gill. Whether or not it was insured, is not known. The fire doubtless was the work of an incendiary.

Summer Railroad Changes.

The Summer schedule of trains that went into effect July 1, on the Central Railroad, makes few changes at this station.

The 7.50 P. M. for New York, will hereafter leave on week-days at 7.13. The early morning train from New York, will leave at 5.45 instead of 6.00, and on Sundays at 5.00 instead of 4.30.

A through train for L. I. Beach, Ocean Grove, etc., will be attached to the 2.25 P. M. train from Plainfield.

Trains for Lake Hopatcong will leave at 6.45 and 9.24 A. M., and 5.20 P. M., with a through coach attached to the latter train. On Sundays, 6.12 A. M.

Closing Exercises of the Loyal Temperance Legion.

The severe rainstorm, which prevailed night June 28, had a tendency to decrease the attendance at the closing exercises of the Loyal Temperance Legion, in the W. C. T. U. rooms, last evening. The entertainment, however, was of a thoroughly enjoyable character, and those who did venture out of doors and face the storm *were amply rewarded for their trouble.*

The children marched in singing, and rendered the following programme in a very acceptable and creditable manner. Miss Yates presiding at the piano:

1 Temperance Doxology, L. T. L.
2 Prayer (with Lord's prayer).
3 Repetition of Pledge, L. T. L.
4 Singing, "We are a Band of Soldiers," L. T. L.
5 Recitation, Percy Vail.
6 Singing, "Hurrah for the Red, White and Blue," L. T. L.
7 Recitation, Mabel Vail.
8 Solo, Harry Yeager.
9 Recitation, Georgie Fitzbrough.
10 Singing, "Temperance Boys and Girls are We," L. T. L.

Mrs. Dr. T. H. Tomlinson, President of the Union County W. C. T. U., gave the children a delightful talk, urging them to remember their pledge, and to keep their souls and bodies pure to present to God.

Mrs. Geo. F. Opdyke, President of the local W. C. T. U., followed with some timely advice to the children, impressing upon their youthful minds the words: "Thou God seest Me." She also made the following rewards for regular attendance and deportment:

For regular attendance—Try Matter.

Special Mention—*Clarence Vail* and Grace DePorest.

For Best Deportment—Edith Vail and Westley Thorn, neither of whom have given their teacher occasion to reprove them, either by look or word during the entire year.

Honorable Mention—George Firstbrook, Fred Firstbrook, Harry Yeager, Clarence Vail, Percy Vail, Maude Porter, Lizzie Firstbrook, Florence Carver.

After the awards were presented Miss Alice Smith gave a piano solo, which was greatly encored and gracefully responded to.

The Loyal Temperance Legion numbers nearly 100 boys and girls, and is a branch of the work of the W. C. T. U. It is conducted by the following officers and teachers:

Supt.—Mrs. F. H. Bennett.
Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Maggie Manning.
Musical Director—Miss Hattie Burnett.
Pianist—Miss Emma U. King.
Teachers—Misses Manning, Addie Wisner, Bertha Taylor, Lily Burr, C. Ross, Maude French and Vinnie French.

William Piker's Funeral.

The funeral of the late William Piker, who died on Sunday, took place in the German Reformed church in North Plainfield afternoon June 27, and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Yerkes, assisted by Rev. Dr. Yerkes. The members of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein attended in a body and escorted the remains to the church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Louis Weidt, Fred Weidt, Henry Meyer, Alex. Flack, Frank Carpenter and Henry Haurand.

The floral contributions were very handsome, including a lyre with the letters "F. T. S.," designating the Turners' emblem, inscribed in the centre of it. Interment was made in the Presbyterian cemetery in North Plainfield.

After the funeral a meeting of the Society was held at its headquarters, and the members belonged to an eloquent eulogy of the deceased delivered by Mr. Martin L. Haubner. The speech was in German, of which the following is a translation:

"Peace be around this grave! O, you have buried a good man, but to us our so early deceased brother, W. H. Piker, was more, as the large gathering shows. Not to us he was more, as he was one of the most prominent members of our society, and a faithful member of the Gesang Verein. Acting in the capacity of First Turnwart for over five years, he had proved himself a skillful athlete and able teacher, and through his untiring efforts the Turning Section has been upheld.

"Although he felt his failing health long before he was forced to lay down his post, and retire from office, nor rest in his endeavors to inculcate the merit and welfare of the Section. He was faithful in his performance services to his end. O we gratefully believe that he has left us—he whose skill in physical feats we often had occasion to wonder at. Great, great, our bereavement and our loss. Therefore let us tender our heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved family in their great sorrow; and that we never can forget our beloved brother, his portrait on our walls will be encircled with a Turner laurel-wreath of honor."

The speaker then recited the following poem, written by himself:

Loud pealed the Thirteen
Their Turner-greeting
Fast broke our Section
In sorrow for You.
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—The Watchung Mountain Public School to be equipped with electric call bells. The trustees are soliciting estimates for same.

—Mr. Hervey Drake, recently in the employ of Mr. Asa Collier, has opened a jewelry establishment of his own on DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

A few days ago, Superintendent Donnelly of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, was asked by a reporter about the progress being made on the South Plainfield and Somerville Railroad. That official replied that some three months would still probably be needed for the completion of their new route to New York city. Some of the grading is quite heavy, and the wet months of Spring retarded the work a great deal. J. O. Todd of Bernardsville, is superintending the construction of bridges along the new road. Forces of men are at work grading on both ends of the line, but the work is necessarily slow.

WESTFIELD.

Frank Godshalk, son of Mr. Samuel Godshalk—formerly proprietor of the Westfield Hotel, but now of the Clifton House, Clifton, N. J.—is in town visiting his uncle, Mr. B. F. Godshalk.

Mrs. J. A. Demarest, wife of our former school principle, is in town with her son, on a few days' visit.

Mr. P. Traynor's brick store is rapidly creeping skyward. Mr. C. H. French has the supervision of the brick work, while Mr. Traynor superintends the carpentering. When completed it will be one of finest and most substantial buildings in Westfield, being of 12 inch walls from top to bottom, with a stone foundation, 24 feet in width.

A Plea for the Animals.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Will you please call the attention of the officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty of Animals to the practice the owners of goats have of leaving their animals in the hot sun all day without a drop of water. It is pitiful sometimes to hear the cries of the poor things. Another cruelty common among people who profess to be too tender-hearted to drown their young dogs or cats, is to give them to any child, or drop them anywhere, never caring whether the helpless creatures are starved or tormented to death, as is often the case. It is to be hoped the Society will take measures to prevent such cruelty, or else provide a home for outcast animals.

RICHARD AND THE MISERICPS.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERINGS.

When will the Town Committee learn what it is there for? After its action in regard to the bids for hauling macadam stone to the different parts of the town, by which the lowest bid was rejected because not personally signed, and a public competition raised thereby, it is to be expected that more care would be taken on the next occasion. Bids were to be received for hauling crushed stone to a point on the Jerusalem road. The various amounts offered were as follows: By William Reynolds, fifty cents, George Kyte, fifty-five cents, and John G. Cook, seventy cents. Instead of giving the whole contract to Mr. Reynolds, the lowest bidder, the Committee divided the work between him and Mr. Kyte. Why the town should pay fifty-five cents for hauling crushed stone when they can get it done for fifty, is not readily seen. Perhaps the Committee were actuated by some of their mistake in refusing Mr. Kyte's former bid, and by a kind of poetic justice awarded him half a contract the second time. Unfortunately, poetic justice is not what is wanted in the execution of public trusts. It is a great deal better to be prosaic all the way through.

The water works at Fanwood will soon be an accepted fact. Already the pipes have been laid for a considerable distance on the windmill field, in addition to the freight house. There will be several of these curious but useful mills erected in a few weeks, and then the inhabitants of Fanwood will all have water up to the top of their houses.

There is a curious wooden frame at the depot, which has been the occasion of considerable comment. It is the skeleton of a canvass canoe. It belongs to Mr. George Thomas, Jr., who will use it upon the "Back Pond" at Pottsville.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERER.

Closing the School Term at Westfield.

The commencement exercises of the Westfield Public School, were held in Arcanum Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of last week. Wednesday was devoted to the small children, and the singing, speaking, etc., was worthy of high compliment. The Hall was crowded to its utmost capacity, with the parents and friends of the little ones.

On Thursday evening the High School scholars and graduates had their exercises, and although the weather was very disagreeable, there was a large and appreciative audience in attendance. After the opening prayer by the Rev. Mr. Howell, the following programme was rendered:

Piano Solo.....Emma U. Burch.
Salutatory Address.....Harry P. Condit.
Recitation.....Sarah O'Dowd.
Essay.....Mabel Barnes.
Reading of High School News, (first part).....Clara L. Coughlin.
Oration.....Howard Chetlain.
Address.....Chas. E. Hathaway.
Essay.....Annie W. Drake.
Recitation.....Royal Brown.
Glee.....Choir.
Essay.....Carrie H. Bond.
Reading of High School News, (second part).....Sarah O'Dowd.
Prophesy.....Clara L. Coughlin.
Valedictory Poem.....Helen Bantz.
Valedictory, Music.....Miss Bantz.
Song.....High School choir.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

Song.....Choir.

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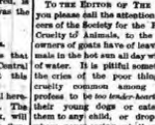

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Ever since Mr. Thomas A. Edison invented his phonograph he has been constantly and continually busy improving it. Like all men of genius, he is never satisfied with his work, but is always striving to improve it. Mr. Edison has just completed a new phonograph, which, in addition to the faults of the old machine as regards it, so far as electrical and mechanical construction and principles are concerned, is the best instrument of the kind ever made. The new phonograph works on a clockwork motor, and, as there is no battery, there is no more any general fear

The new phonograph, a cut of which is here given, is nothing more than a graphophone, which is a phonograph with a jacket of peculiar, but very simple, construction. In the cut the front of the jacket is shown to the left, and the back to the right, so that the body of the phonograph proper can be seen. The motor is of the common clockwork pattern, and is run by a circular belt. It is easy to see by the external shaft, seen at the left of the figure, and the belt which runs from it to the pulley on the lower left hand corner of the jacket, that the motor is run in a manner that renders unwind with ease, thereby enabling the old fashioned shaft to be dispensed with. The motor is governed by a fan, which is seen at the right in a horizontal position. The fan is run by a belt which runs from the pulley on the motor shaft to the pulley on the fan shaft. The speed of the motor is regulated by the position of the governor, which is seen at the top of the jacket. The governor is controlled by the thumb screw, which is seen at the left of the governor. The governor is the ball-and-spring variety, and is operated by winds, so that the speed of the motor is kept constant. The motor is wound by the crank, which is seen at the left of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the fan is seen at the left of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the mandrel is seen at the right of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the governor is seen at the left of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the fan is seen at the left of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the mandrel is seen at the right of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the governor is seen at the left of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the fan is seen at the left of the jacket. The belt which runs from the motor to the mandrel is seen at the right of the jacket.

HYDRAULIC WASHER.

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MY LAST BLOW.

My dogs had caused their mates when I first came to view, but just as I was about to turn away I saw a large one [illegible] began to look more fiercely than ever. I thought that perhaps he was getting ready to spring at me, so I made up my mind to jump out of the tree and make his escape.

I stepped out on the narrow walk, and, steadying myself, pushed myself into the tree.

"Great Scott! I had seen a great many panthers before and had killed a few, but I never saw one like this. He had left the branches of the tree was larger and fiercer than any I had ever seen or even heard about. He lay crouched along the branch about midway to the top of the tree, and glared at me with his fiery eyes, that gleamed like balls of fire. From the corner of his mouth a red tongue, as if of the slightest attention to the dogs, but kept his eyes riveted on me, showing his white fangs, and every few seconds he would lash his tail and fret.

I knew I had no time to lose, but must act quickly, as the varmint was preparing to spring at me. Beating myself for the attack, I gave a yell and a slipped into, I raised my rifle to my shoulder and aimed for the center of the panther's head. Just as I pulled the trigger, a piece of bark that I was standing on broke off, and I fell to the ground, just as the ball from the rifle rounded its head of the varmint, and, instead of lodging in his brain, it passed through his left ear. Following the empty shell came from my grasp to the rocks below, and I was left entirely defenseless to fight the most formidable of the trees.

I had left my hunting knife from my belt, but had laid it down above me when the panther gave a shriek of triumph and sprang. The next instant the beast bounded from his perch and landed on the ground at the foot of the tree, and at the top of which I was.

"The ball from my rifle had made a hole in the panther's head, and the blood from which ran into his eyes, causing him the most horrible pain. He was mad for fury. His eyes were fastened on me, and I knew that his only hope would be to climb within a foot or two of where I sat.

My faithful dogs were by this time at the rear of the infuriated beast, and before he could leap upon me they attacked him in the rear. With a flash, and with a yell of defiance Brand sprang upon the panther's back, and the powerful claws that it knocked the poor dog dead into the river below. The other dog, however, got a grip on one of the beast's hind legs, and held on gamely. Brand's body floated down the river, and they were falling on the ground in a struggle for the mastery. The large beast threw up loads of earth with his hind feet with his sharp claws and for a time the dog's life was in great danger. The two jaws came together and I could hear the crunching of bones, and in another moment the limp body of the dog was thrown to the ground.

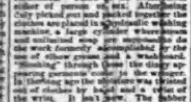
"The panther was now thoroughly enraged. Giving his head a shake to free his eyes from the blood and dirt, he gave a yell that made the very hills around resounded for a spring.

"I knife firmly in my right hand, and, steadying myself with my left, awaited the shock.

"It came, and with it the body flash at through the air, and the to it mingled. I was conscious for a moment of a heavy form close that ran me backward over the edge of the cliff, and then I knew no more.

When I regained consciousness I found myself in a bed in a little cabin, with my wife bending over me. I was very weak, and for a few days I was not able to talk. Then I learned that I had been found by a party of hunters, who had heard the shots fired by me and the dogs. They had found me lying on the ground, with my head on the breast of the dead panther, and my left hand grasping his throat. The shock occasioned by the fall had rendered me unconscious, and the weight of the panther had kept me from falling. The hunters had carried me to the cabin, and my wife had been summoned. I was very weak for a few days, but soon began to improve, and in a short time was able to be around the cabin. I was very much surprised to find that my dogs had not been killed by the panther, but I soon found that they had only been stunned by him.

Brand, however, was dead, and I buried him on the spot where he had fallen. Rover and Bruno, however, soon recovered, and are now hunting with me.



THE LINEN WE WEAR.

THE OLD AND NEW WAY OF WASHING.

It Was to Clean but There are Several Washing Machines Nowadays.

A person who in his generation remembered that any man could pass a counterfeit bill would have been thought to have blacked. That philosopher, however, neglected to mention the fact that the counterfeiter would, under circumstances of great temptation, pass a bill and then go and wash his hands.

Argument is not necessary to establish the fact that the large majority of people are honest, and that the straight lives of the middle-aged are the result of principle, with enough fear of the law to keep the weak-minded from making money too easily.

Very few persons have any idea of the number of washing machines that have come into existence within the past few years. Nearly one half are machines for washing clothes. A very large majority of the remainder are the machines and hammers of the composition, which rest from ten to twenty weeks in the garrets of the houses of the well-to-do, and are used by women who work as they sell to the old days, using only a heated cylinder for pressing and ironing.

Washing machines are of every kind and variety of construction. Some are very ingenious, and others are very stupid. Some are very complicated, and others are very simple. Some are very large, and others are very small. Some are very heavy, and others are very light. Some are very noisy, and others are very quiet. Some are very dirty, and others are very clean. Some are very wet, and others are very dry. Some are very hot, and others are very cold. Some are very long, and others are very short. Some are very wide, and others are very narrow. Some are very deep, and others are very shallow. Some are very high, and others are very low. Some are very fat, and others are very thin. Some are very old, and others are very young. Some are very rich, and others are very poor. Some are very happy, and others are very sad. Some are very good, and others are very bad. Some are very wise, and others are very foolish. Some are very strong, and others are very weak. Some are very beautiful, and others are very ugly. Some are very kind, and others are very cruel. Some are very generous, and others are very stingy. Some are very brave, and others are very cowardly. Some are very true, and others are very false. Some are very faithful, and others are very unfaithful. Some are very loving, and others are very hateful. Some are very forgiving, and others are very unforgiving. Some are very merciful, and others are very merciless. Some are very just, and others are very unjust. Some are very righteous, and others are very unrighteous. Some are very holy, and others are very unholy. Some are very pure, and others are very impure. Some are very clean, and others are very dirty. Some are very white, and others are very black. Some are very red, and others are very blue. Some are very green, and others are very yellow. Some are very orange, and others are very purple. Some are very brown, and others are very gray. Some are very silver, and others are very gold. Some are very iron, and others are very steel. Some are very copper, and others are very brass. Some are very tin, and others are very zinc. Some are very lead, and others are very mercury. Some are very quicksilver, and others are very quicksilver. Some are very quicksilver, and others are very quicksilver. Some are very quicksilver, and others are very quicksilver

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The Good Boy's Alphabet.

A Stands for Albert, who got a clout, By a ball in the river above Putney.

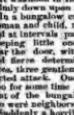
B Stands for Bertie, who fell from the Bridge And was drowned in trying to squint the Duke's nose.

C Stands for Charlie, who fished with a crooked pin And caught a big haul of pout and tittlebat.

D Stands for David, who ran off to sea, Because a Pilot never was wanted to be.

E Stands for Edward, who'd Stands for Edward, who'd A pet woodlouse that used to eat off his plate; But he'd no sooner got him well broke in, When a spoonful of tea made a sudden end to him.

F Stands for Fitzroy, who'd a Pony something like cake as big as a Shetland.



G Stands for George, who'd a cat named Tom, which he used to drown nearly every day, But he couldn't do it that day, for he'd forgotten his kitten in the pocket of his other jacket, which he didn't go, however, for a day or two, and then it brought forth a litter of three.

Detroit Free Press.

RIGHT IN THE END.

It was noon in India. The sun shone calmly down upon a fearful tragedy.

In a bungalow crouched a terrified woman and child, the mother praying, and at intervals pausing to quiet her weeping little one; while without, near the door, with loaded weapons and fierce determination upon their swarthy faces, stood a band of fully reported attack. One was Mr. Dudley, who for some time had been the resident of Sir Roger Grant's estate, and two were neighbors.

Almost mad with horrible about broke upon their ears, and rough hands battered down the frail timbers of the door, while fierce eyes glared in at the two Sepoys, with faces of fiends swarmed in.

"Present arms! Fire!"

A volley simultaneously rang from the fiendish crew. But in the brief time to reload, the deadly gleam of steel flashed through the air.

"Spring, Harry, spring and! they have killed him!" shrieked Mrs. Dudley, springing forward; but in another moment she, too, fell with a glittering knife sheathed in her heart.

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HARD PUSHED.

The Democratic tariff reform members now before Congress, known as the Mills bill, impose an average rate of duty on foreign importations of 40 per cent. It gives ample protection to home industries, and is a fair, reasonable, practical tariff bill, such as the times, by Democratic party creeds, demand. It is not a free trade bill, but a protective measure, framed with a view to the industrial interest and prosperity of the industrial interest and employment.

Yet it is charged by partisan Republicans will bring ruin-fraught free trade.

If the Republican charge is founded in fact—

The Republican National Convention of 1884 was composed of several free traders, because that party then stood for a tariff "for revenue only." The Republican party pledges itself to correct the inequalities of the tariff and to reduce the surplus.

The very thing the Democratic party is now endeavoring to accomplish.

If the charge is true—

Henry Clay, the father of the old Whig party and father of the system of American protection, was an out and out free trader, for the reason that tariff duties he championed were far below those named in the Mills bill of today.

If the charge is true—

President Garfield, President Arthur, Secretary McCulloch, and other prominent Republican officials, were converted into free traders from head to foot, for they favored a reduction of duties made below the schedule reported by the Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee of the present Congress.

If the charge is true—

The Republican Tariff Commission appointed by Congress a few years back, and composed of experts in the various industries, was composed exclusively of free traders. They having recommended a much greater reduction of duties than does the bill of the Mills.

If the charge is true—

Senator Morrill, of Vermont, a supposed Republican, and author of the high tariff bill bearing his name, passed by Congress in 1861, for the purpose of raising revenue, declared amply for revenue, called for average duties of 20 per cent, under those now applied by the Democratic or Mills bill.

THE CHARGE IS NOT TRUE.

It is as false as language can coin falsehood, and the leaders of the Republican party know it to be so.

They stubbornly are hard pushed.

TRUTH SET TO THE FRONT.

The Young Democracy of the United States held a rousing convention in the city of Baltimore, July 4th and 5th. Delegates were there present from every State in the Union. Their country and the greatest outlook prevailed. The permanent Chairman, Mr. Wilson of Wisconsin, gave utterance to political facts, when speaking that—

"The Democratic party is the child of the Constitution, and to be natural into practical effect, it must be kept pure."

It is the party of the people and pre-has been, and is the relentless enemy of monopoly.

That all powers not delegated to the General Government are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people, is the watchword and one of its cardinal principles.

It is the foe of monopolies and of monopolists, but believes "with Christianity that a profession is a positive truth."

It is the foe of monopoly and unjust taxation, believes in free, but not free trade, in a revenue tariff for revenue only, tariff, but not a tariff levied for the purpose of creating surplus and encouraging unjust speculation."

The party is a genuine representative of the party of

CLEVELAND, THURMAN AND REFORM.

HORNS OF TRUTH.

Truthful are the words of Congressman Mills, of Texas:

"Reduce the surplus and reduce the taxes upon which the surplus is raised. The more work, the higher the wages.

Money is only used in its relations to labor and property.

Commerce is really an interchange of commodities.

Open up our markets and make our products cheap, and the American producer is relieved.

Our country will then indeed be the greatest, the freest, the happiest, the most prosperous nation on the face of the earth."

That is sound horn-truth, doctrine.

It is straightforward statesmanship.

WORDS FULL OF THEFT.

Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler, the ordained clergyman of Brooklyn, in a communication published over his own signature in the *Evangelist*, takes strong grounds against the platform of his party as adopted at Chicago. Among other things he says:

"I am not the only disaffected against the extreme high tariff heresies of the last Convention. Many of the most powerful Republican papers in the country, and many of their ablest and most staunch supporters in the Republican party, as Mayor Seth Low, said the Rev. Dr. Storrs, and many of our best statesmen, are thoroughly disgusted at the platform. Dr. Storrs said to me yesterday, that as he could not vote for Cleveland, he should not vote at all. Mr. Low, I believe, will vote for Cleveland. Dr. Storrs thinks he will not. If so the 7th inclusive is his mistake, by honesty and conscience, he will fill on the 6th, and if he has a conscience he will vote on the 7th. It is a legal day, the law of the State requires voting to the 7th, November 7 at midnight after the 6th. The law is explicit, and I am sure, and certainly if he is 21 at any time of the 7th, he is 21 all day of the 7th, and he votes on that day. It is a matter that has been tested and decided. Dr. Storrs is a conscientious man, and I think he will be

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J. G. DEMAREST, - - City Editor.

ANNUAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

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—On for a T. C. A. building.

—The Warren Avenue Sunday School excursion will take place on the 18th inst.

—Two police officers were put on duty for the 4th of July, 5 for the first time.

—Miss G. Schenkhuizen and Mr. J. B. Heath united thanks to the firemen for their hearty efforts to extinguish the fire on Church street on the morning of July 5.

—The Grand Opera House will be closed for the season on Friday last. The old bell weighed 1,700 pounds, and the new one weighs about 2,000 pounds more.

—It is about time that some of the dust which daily rises from the streets was removed. Reports of sickness are coming in from all directions.

—The position of superintending the modern fire engine of the hall, a regular muster is kept in the parlors of the City Hotel, a few evenings since. The meeting was followed by a collation.

—The Harrison post buttons the Republicans are wearing are very pretty as well as durable, but care should be taken that they are not worn upside down. So the Record says.

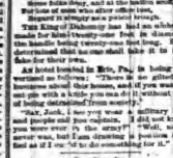
—A storm of thunder on Saturday evening rained out the fireworks, but the fire was kept up until 11 o'clock. The Fire Department was not required.

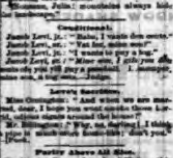
—The Rev. Mr. Hughes says: "A favorite wish is to visit the Rocky Mountains. The Montana Mail, a paper published in Fort Benton, says: "A favorite wish is to visit Fort Benton. The Rocky Mountain

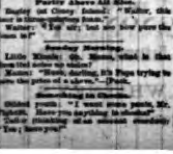
IN JUNE.

ADVANCE OF SCIENCE.

THE ADOPTION IN BROOKLYN OF ELECTRICITY TO AID THE POLICE.







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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.45, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30 p. m., 12.00 night.

Sundays—4.00, 8.45, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m., 12.00 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.45, 6.45, 7.30, 8.00, 8.45, 9.00, 9.45, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m., 12.30 night.

Leave Newark—5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.00 noon, 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 p. m., 12.00 night.

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Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.34, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m., 12.30 night.

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Leave Easton 4.30, 8.27, 8.40, 9.34, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.25, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, 8 m., 1 p. m.

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8.00 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.40 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.30 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Somerville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Harrisburg, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1.00 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Delaware, Lehigh & Morris Canal.

5.30 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Somerville, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.05, p. m.—For Flemington.

7.30 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8.27, 9.00, 9.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 3.20, (through coach) 5.27, 6.06, p. m. Sundays (through coach) 8.27, 9.00, 9.40, 11.08, a. m.

For Perth Amboy—8.27, 9.34, 9.00, 9.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.24, 3.20, 5.27, 6.06, 8.27, 9.00, 9.40, 11.08, 8.27 a. m., 3.20 p. m.

For Monmouth Junction—8.27, 9.34, 9.00, 9.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21 3.20, 5.27, 6.06, 8.27, 9.00, 9.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21 3.20, 5.27, 6.06, 8.27, 9.00, 9.40, 11.08, a. m. Sunday—8.27 a. m., 3.20 p. m.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—The Books of the Overseer of the Poor, containing a list of the assessments for the year 1888, will be open at my office, on and after July 1st, 1888.

J. OAKLEY HOYT, O. P.

NOTICE. JUNE 5TH, 1888.

Estate of Edmund V. Shotwell, late deceased.

Pursuant to the order of Surrogate Pierce, Surrogate of the County of Union, bearing date, on the application of the undersigned, Administrator of the said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber. It is requested that all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make immediate payment.

WILLIAM R. SHOTWELL, Administrator.

Dated June 5th, 1888.

NOTICE. MAY 7th, 1888.

Estate of Elias Cole, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of Surrogate Pierce, Surrogate of the County of Union, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1888, on the application of the undersigned, Executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber. It is requested that all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make immediate payment.

Dated May 7th, 1888.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Joseph H. Bonnell, complainant, and Mary Jane Bonnell, defendant. Fi. fa. for sale of Mortgaged Premises. By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1888,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all that tract or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the township of Union, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, and

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Of her own wings, and had secured
That baby her tender heart's prey!

Like two small fists, the Queen of Love
Pulled in the Archer's ruffled dove,
Where Cupid lay, and, with a shout,
A tattered garment to its snout
Applied, and then, with cooing and dove,
She fooled her Little Monster-Love!

Oh, cold May thing! full many a match
Thou'st made, but this is the worst of the bunch!
Thou'st hit Jumper! Quick she flies
To Jacket of Red, and Jumper sighs
Changed to her dress when I care not straight
To the clothing of either, for I hate

A month she'll feed her prisoner bird—
The bird that's fed by Persistency yet
Has starved Love out of its nest!
That Freda the captive will to Jumper—
I say, and I say it with regret—
The saucy Bird knows not yet!

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OUR PRETTY GOVERNMENT CLERKS.

Many Thousand Curious People—Pretty Money-Counters—Diverse Pursuers—How They Live.

He Washington correspondent of the *New York World* says:

There are about 4,000 women in the government departments, and these are scattered from the basement to the top of government printing office, and they do all kinds of work in all of them. Some of them are stenographers and typewriters, and others are clerks, and of them are printers. Some are copyists and translators. Some have to do with the legal questions of the departments, and some of them receive high salaries as special examiners in the Patent Office. One woman is employed in the Treasury at $1,800 a year, and some of the most responsible business is done by women. As a rule, however, they get low salaries, and the men for the same work, and it was thought to be a big thing when the first woman received $1,000 a year.

It was through Treasurer Spinner that women got their first hold on the government, and the demand for clerks was so great during the war that he employed a number. This was in 1862, and women then received $720 a year as copyists and money-counters. They were the best money-counters in the service, and they can count thousands of dollars in a minute with less liability to make a mistake. Sitting at a desk they take roll after roll made up of a hundred bills, separate them with their fingers fly as though moved by electricity, and their rosy lips touch each other in counting and at the end of a hundredth of time the roll is made. It makes me think of the small boy with his nose pressed against the window watching the machine. Some of these girls this morning $75 a month by counting hundreds of thousands of dollars a year.

The fastest counter in the government service is a woman, and women are the most masterful detectives. They seem able to tell a bad bill by intuition, and they have to count dirty bills as well as clean. The money they count is old at first, but as new and it comes from every part of the United States. In the Redemption Bureau of the Treasury the bills are counted in packages of 100 bills each, and a few of the ladies do light housework for Bugbee on a wet sponge as they count the packages, and so make up the loss. If it makes a mistake hereof the money it takes out of her salary, and this is true in regard to a counterfeit as well as for an error in counting. When a bill is lost in one of these rooms or in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing the whole force helps look for it, and until it is found, and not long ago there was a big reward offered in the Treasury over a lost government bond.

The certificates of deposits of national bank currency are kept by a little withered-up spectacled woman who came here at the close of the war. Inside a safe, surrounded by hundreds of millions of dollars, works for a while each day this old woman, as mysterious in his acts, and when she goes to the department he takes the key and locks the safe after her. She is counting some bonds for certificates of deposit, and if it happened that a drop of ink fell into his book without his noticing it. He recounted the whole business, and the amount was $1,000,000 more or less. Then a little white hair stood up like the quills of the porcupine, and with bloodshot eyes she sought the chief. The department was in an uproar until the evening shades fell, when the lost bonds were found, and she thought he would put on his boots and go home to bed.

The *Treasury* is the largest department at Washington. It contains between 3,000 and 4,000 clerks, and it is almost a town. Sombre and massive, with many columns and long corridors, it looks more like the mausoleum of some dead monarch than a department, and one looks for the letters over Dante's Inferno:

All hope abandon ye who enter here.

Each one who enters it leaves behind the door of every government department.

A wrong impression prevails in some sections of the country as to the female clerks in the departments. There are some bad women among them, and there are some who are not as good as they should be, but the majority of them are good women. It could not be otherwise, for the percentage is very small, and the department is a good deal purer than society. She is, as a rule, a woman of intelligence and culture, and the average character of them come from good families. Many of the most refined and accomplished men and some of our greatest families have married department clerks. Attorney General Brewster's wife was the daughter of a Secretary of the Treasury, and married a clerk in one of the departments. Stephen A. Douglas married a department clerk, and I know of a dozen cases where members of Congress employed in the departments. Many of the best society of Washington, and quite a few descendants of Jefferson and Madison are employed in the departments.

The sexes are mixed together in the Government rooms, and the desks of the ladies stand side by side with those of the gentlemen. Some of the old fogy clerks are very fond of the society of the grey-haired lady in the Treasury Department, and it is said that the wife of Chief and the daughter of a minister to Mexico marks within a few days of each other. Many old fogy clerks in the Patent Office who began at beginning of the war have married. One of the first women clerk ever elected by a legislature in this country.

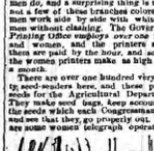
The daily clerks of Washington dress well. As a rule they keep themselves posted on topics of general interest, and they are good talkers. Many of them are employed in the Post-Office Department, and they do the most of the Dead Letter Office business. Every year about 5,000,000 letters come to the Dead Letter Office. The ladies look over these letters deciphering their contents and send them where they should go. One set opens the letters, another set reads and sorts them and another examines and redirects them to their proper places. Many of these there is from $20,000 to $40,000 in these letters, and a year ago the letters which came to the Dead Letter Office contained drafts and money orders to the amount of $1,200,000. Eighty-four thousand letters contained postage stamps and $5,000 contained articles of merchandise. There are on an average about 15,000 letters a day which come into this office, and the amount of money and goods increases mail. They don't have time to wade over the love letters, and the sad stories they have to read are bound to reveal. It is in this office that a woman must know how to keep a secret.

FRESH FEDERS.

As an instance of the pay of the men and women in the Government department rooms, it was shown not long ago that the men in the Dead Letter Office received on an average $1 a day more than the ladies, and this was explained on the fact that the women did the most of the work.

The women in the Government Printing Office and the Bureau of Printing and *Engraving do all kinds of work, dirty* as well as clean. They help manage the presses, their sleeves are rolled up and their elbows, and their plump, round arms are seen more or less all day during the day. There are between four and five hundred of them in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and they do work behind a partition of iron network, and every piece of money and every bond and every bill is counted. Many of them clean off the presses or push the sheets to the printer, and there are 300 of them in all in the United States where one can study the beautiful science of counting money than here. It is the same in the Government Printing Office, where they feed the presses, attend to the binding machines, and do all kinds of work that they do, and a surprising thing is that it is not a few of these branches colored women work side by side with white ones, and they are paid by the hour, and some of the women printers make as high as $90 a month.

There are over one hundred very pretty and handsome girls employed in the seeds for the Agricultural Department, and they make up packages and envelopes of the seeds which each Congressman gets, and see that they, go properly out. There are also several telegraph operators in



GAS STOVE.

the departments, and there are some who do map-drawing and tracing. The male clerks of the departments do all kinds of work. The Government has salaried carpenters, chemists, scientists, lawyers, and experts of every kind. The number of permanent salaried employés *registers* is numbered by hundreds, and the private secretaries of chiefs of B.'., 000 a year and upwards. Now every one knows that the stenographer's salary is *the typewriter is beset in every* room.

How do these clerks live?

Very much like other salaried people *in the world over*. Some of them have and a few of the women have saved money and bought property in Washington, and own houses and rent them to clerks. The majority, however, live in rooms, and do their own light housekeeping, and I have known of clerks who do their cooking over gas stoves and who live very well by understanding how to do so. The tenantry of the folding rooms is something unique in Washington, and here appearances count for much. Along with wealthy and fashionable locality cost $15 a month and upward each, and it is wonderful what a nice little home can be made of a large room. Her massive bedstead looks like a bookcase, and her bookcase looks like a writing desk. A highly colored portiere is hung over the locked door which leads to the adjoining room, and which is occupied, perhaps, by another lady. The same with the windows, about the room, it is well carpeted and furnished and it looks like a parlor. Here a young lady may receive her callers, and here she lives with all the comforts of a parlor and bedroom by day and night.

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The sultan has always been capricious with his musicians. His pet fiddler, Wardie, refused to leave the court and go to Paris to study there with the best masters. A peremptory order was promptly presented to the imperial majesty, who abruptly tore it up, threw the pieces at the messenger, and said:

"Why should he study? Is it to cut my throat? If he wants that, say that he is quite ready. Let him study, and I will stop here. I wish it." So, willy-nilly, Wardie had to stay.

RIVERS MOVING WESTWARD.

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The people who live on the banks of the Mississippi River are accustomed to the slow but unfailing activity of the vast volume of moving water in shifting its channel, and cutting away its banks in one place while it builds up new territory at another. The entire alluvial valley of the Mississippi was originally covered by the river, and the land it has built up is ever at the mercy of the stream that made it.

So long as the changes wrought by the river affect only private property, the action of limits as political complications—possibly consequent upon the transfer of the river and its power to territory from one place to another. It would be different if two states were to dispute the ownership of something as this is coming into view in the valley of the Rio Grande, which is destined to form a long distance between the United States and Mexico. In the discussions on the following statement, which comes from Mexico, is of interest:

Governor Carrillo of the State of Chihuahua has recently made a trip of investigation from Paso del Norte down for a distance of about 100 miles. He found to his astonishment that the river was making a slow but constant inroads into Mexican territory, eating away the Mexican banks and depositing them on the American side, and that this area of cultivable land in the valley of the Rio Grande valley on the Mexican side had been added away. Upon inquiry into this phenomenon he learned that the inhabitants of that section of the country had been observing it for over a generation, and that numbers of people had thus been benefited and farmed by lands to the country. many of them going to the Mexican settlements of Mesilla, Dona Ana, Lerdo, Las Cruces, and Socorro. Gov. Carillo says and also that the final losses of valuable territory had grazed many miles beyond their first meeting place when the works are now erected on the line of the former. The Governor says that since his return to Chihuahua he has collected data to prove that the Mexican Government is entitled to the same rights and privileges as the United States representatives at the city of Chihuahua, but also the national Congress now in session in the city of Mexico, to make appropriations to be used in fortifying and mattressing and strengthening the river bank at weak points. He says they encroachments of the river, upon which he dwells, will cause a loss of national wealth, irreparable loss to Paso del Norte and to the State of Chihuahua, and loss of families.

Apart from the international interests involved, there are speculations of a curious nature suggested in this statement. It appears that the western and western bank of the Rio Grande is one of the effects of the action of the current. Why does the river move to the westward? Something of this appears in the case of the Mississippi. Formerly the river had its principal debouchment into the sea through Bayou Manchac and the lakes, but the river has gradually drawn and deepened for the one now known as the Atchafalaya. It is now moving westward to the old peak under various circumstances.

Catching Fish in Georgia.

Mr. Hatcher says: "Whenever I feel as if I wanted a treat for dinner I shall stroll over to the pond and catch some fish with my hook and line. Between 11 and 12 o'clock at midday of the hours when they can be shot. Some unexplained reason they come up near the surface. I always fire for the head. No shot will penetrate the head or body of a large fish. *It is seldom that even a single* shot, *darkens* the ball. Immediately upon being shot they rise to the surface, floating upon their backs. I never have the trouble to hunt for them, as they generally float within a few feet of the shore. *He had the* pond dragged several times for the fish, but never brought dead trout or black bass. At least a hundred of them would be within gunshot reach of the shore. They were shrewd upon the bank and the burning of the folding chairs. I had invited persons to whose the owner of the pond had refused the right to fish from it and poisoned the water and with it the finny life with which it teemed. Not a single fish was found floating or obtaining fish from the ponds was once quite common among negroes and whites. The way employing one's time by the fish by means of some narcotic plants. The favorite growth for this purpose was the devil's-shoe-string, a small plant with extremely long, rough, and pinnate leaves. The whole plant, with its unsavory name was much used by the Indians as a medicine, and was also in high favor as a powerful blood purifiers with drugs and alterative names. A plentiful supply of the plant being obtained the negro builds a log which projects well out into the water, and getting astride of it, he sits in and alternately beats it with a stick or paddle. After every good beating with the stick about the water and the supply replenished, and the continued until the pond is thoroughly impregnated with the active principle of the weed. The fish soon commence coming to the surface and gasping for breath. A few faint struggles follow and then the fish floats and are easily taken upon the surface only to be collected and served as a meal. It is said that the meat is not at all affected by the poisonous juice with which it is filled, and it is with considerable squeamishness that one can bring himself to partake of fish that a few minutes ago poisoned or nauseated fish.

His Children at a Birth.

The wife of the epileptic Mayor, Casagnola Tinlan, has given birth to six children. This fact is testified to by absolutely correct in an authoritative manner by physicians. The mother, whose name is Rosalinda, is 36 years of age, and has already had three and four children at a birth. She was first married for the second time and has seven children by her first wife. The six children are four boys and two girls, were born living, but died soon after-ward. The case is a most remarkable one in event, perhaps bizarre unheard of in the annals of anthropology, has created a great sensation in Italy. Scientists and doctors are hastening to the scene from Milan, Como, and other towns to satisfy themselves of the truth.—*London Spectator.*

A locomotive that was stolen by the Federal soldiers at Big Shanty, Ga., in April, 1862, is still in service, being used in their road construction by the Kansas Pacific road Kansas City.

Major E. A. Burke of New Orleans, says, it is said, to realize about ten thousand dollars from the Cotton Exposition at Rosemont, Ala., a town which had no existence two years ago.

The Golden Spike.

The golden spike that united the Union and the Central Pacific railroads and connected New York and San Francisco by rail has been immortalized in song, story, and picture until it is known to all the people of the country, and wherever the Pacific coast is heard of there will also the famous golden spike of the Central Pacific be known. There is one peculiar fact connected with this golden spike, however. The spike is still in the custody of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, and yet there have been charms made from gold that are said to be made from this spike. The stories do not agree, and much speculation has been caused thereby. The charms are made of the heads of little golden spikes, each about an inch long. They are engraved with the fact that the original spike is part of the "golden Spike," that joined the two roads, and bear the date of the completion of the road, May 10, 1869, and the name of the owner. These are looked upon as superior charms, but they are rare, and to explain this one must go back into history which is comparatively modern.

The Central Pacific Railroad now extends from Ogden, Utah, to the city of Ogden, but as actual fact it never built this road. For months the Central Pacific had been engaged in the magnificent task of building a railroad across the mountains of Nevada to connect with the Union Pacific at Ogden. At that time it was the intention of the Union Pacific to have an entrance into San Francisco, but the Central Pacific was trying to get as far east as possible before making a connection, so that during the first part of the year 1869 and the latter part of 1868 each road had the privilege of laying as many miles of track as they could. They met in the neighborhood of Promontory and passed each other, one road building to the westward and the other to the westward within a few miles of Ogden. At one another, they had graded many miles beyond their first meeting place when the tracks were laid to Promontory, and three miles west of Ogden. Then they paused and thought over the matter, and negotiations were made by which the Central Pacific railroad purchased the grading to the westward and then ceased. Like immense mounds the abandoned grades lay along the shore of Great Salt Lake, and were witness to the struggles between two great roads.

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Trying to Take Mrs. Cleveland.

Again and again has the attempt been made by unwelcome suitors to catch Mrs. Cleveland, but thus far without success. An enthusiast who assumed the name of Ponce de Leon, of this described his experience:

"I thought I would stand on the hill-ing and shake the big pepper-box of the White House and catch her as the sneezed out. I got up there early. Pretty soon the seal-brown drove up to the door and about there passing away as the carriage. I could have waited at least ten minutes before the door opened. My actions was ticked and I let go the grand old mortal. I rested on the little spring that makes the carpets dance, and away swept Miss. I heard a lady's step and began to feel just a trifle 'rattled.' I squeezed the big lightning and stepped forward with the camera pointed right at Mrs. Cleveland as she came out. I did not look at her face, but got it right in the lens with a queer, cool little feeling that I was a hero. My camera suddenly got as big as a barn, and taking off my hat I bowed and began to speak. Orders—Orders! without thinking to push the spring. I looked at my watch by the light of a thousand dollars.—*Sunday Review.*

Beginning With Small Potatoes.

Fifty years ago Ignacio Peyron, the *Topeka Dispatch*, Ignacio Peyron lived in a little adobe hut on the Sacramento River in Colusa County, California. Ignacio kept a pig and raised just enough potatoes to feed himself and his pig, and enough lying around loose out of doors to raise a crop. Ignacio was content with the usual chords. This episode created a decided taste for fashionable clothes. From that moment the Bolivia store-room with even more than his former inquisitive persistency. He watched the steamers as they came up the stream as it flowed past the hut, and gradually he learned to look at the top and help himself, so that one cautious day the latter part of 1868 each found the grading of the road finished. They met in the neighborhood of Promontory and passed each other, one road building to the westward and the other to the westward within a few miles of Ogden. At one another, they had graded many miles beyond their first meeting place when the tracks were laid to Promontory, and three miles west of Ogden. Then they paused and thought over the matter, and negotiations were made by which the Central Pacific railroad purchased the grading to the westward and then ceased. Like immense mounds the abandoned grades lay along the shore of Great Salt Lake, and were witness to the struggles between two great roads.

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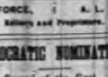
DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

Our Record of the Past. Our Promise for the Future.



FOR PRESIDENT,
Grover Cleveland,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
Allen G. Thurman,
OF OHIO.

DEMOCRATIC FREEDOM.

The Republican leaders are shouting themselves hoarse about Free Trade. It is the only flimsy cloth-cover dodge they have left.

What is the meaning of the howl?

We have before stated the real character and will do so again.

Free trade means the total abolishment of custom-houses and the admission of all foreign products free of duty, consequently the raising of revenue for the support of government by direct taxation.

That is free trade pure and simple, for we defy all war-hatted Republicans in the land to prove that the Democratic party ever did or ever will favor, directly or indirectly, favor any policy of the kind. They cannot prove it.

To call a 40 per cent. protective tariff, such as is the Democratic bill introduced into Congress by Mr. Mills, a free trade measure, is not a whit more honest or honorable than to assert that cotton-seed is charcoal boiled.

Free trade! are we shaking mad!

Facts and immediately upon a solid rock.

Democrats are not advocates of free trade, but they fearlessly champion the cause of freedom and right.

Freedom of the ballot many from the grasping greed of the pampered few.

Freedom of all trades and industries, so that honesty, free and proper exploitation by non-many Trust and Monopolies of every name and kind.

Freedom for merchants, manufacturers artisans and workingmen to enjoy the profits of world-wide markets for the production of American skill and industry, and thereby reap the advantages of increased and steady demand for labor.

Freedom of the individual citizen from tributes levied upon the necessaries of life in order that privileged nabobs may enlarge their overgrown fortunes.

Freedom of the taxpayers from unwarranted exactions, maintained for the benefit of certain private and corporate interests, and the creation of over one hundred million dollars surplus revenue in a year, to tempt extravagance and to whet the appetite of corrupt political jobbers.

Aye! The Democratic party is in favor of freedom from every species of injustice wrong upon the people.

That is the issue of 1888, and no amount of purblind dust can hide it from public discernment.

CASTELLAR, THOMAS AND KEPNER.

WOOL OVER HIS EYES.

Ex-Gov. Gear, of Iowa, was regarded by the ultra-protectionists as having scored a good point for his side by producing in Congress a few weeks ago a sack of wool purchased in Boston and sold in Bridgeport, Van Buren County, Ia. From a woolen manufacturer for $6, and parading them as cheaper and better than could be procured for the same money in England. He further requested: "Now, Mr. Chairman, I want to call the attention of this House to the fact that the passage of the pending Tariff bill will not only reduce the value of the wool of my State, but it will close up the mill where that blanket was made and put out of employment the labor engaged in its manufacture." In making this remark Mr. Gear was slightly disingenuous; the inference from the conduct was that this statement was the result of a careful examination of the blanket and its manufacture, whose interests he declared to be so vitally endangered. Now, no one could be a better authority for the manufacturer's views than this manufacturer himself. It so happens that the ex-Governor's statement, having been put before Mr. Mills of Texas, he, with whom I will be thanked in quantity were made, by a personal friend, to Mr. Mills, promptly wrote to him as follows:

"OFFICE OF ISAIAH MEEK,
"SHAWNEE, Ia., May 21, 1888.

"DEAR SIR:—In reply to yours of the 19th inst., I would say:

"Our woollen factory commenced operations in 1864, and was in full blast in 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868, and continued to run nearly ever since that time, except from July, 1887, to March, 1888, when time, having been burned out, we were rebuilding our factory. We have not run a month exactly since then, except short stops in the Winter for repairs.

"The blanket sent by our business is larger than before the war, because we have a great deal more machinery, and better facilities for manufacturing. Taking both together, our manufacturing facilities are better than before the war and our facilities for manufacturing the business, we had proportionally as large if not a larger amount of wool manufactured, and I have sold more goods than ever.

"[That was the period of very low tariff and free wool.] Our business was a great deal more profitable before the war than now.

"If the Mills bill is passed with its present duties for the Protection of the wool-growers, I am afraid that the wool will not be sold on the free list. It is my opinion it would not reduce the value of our wools, but have a tendency to increase the value, if passed as it is now. I am afraid, if passed with its present duties, and consequently our ability to increase wages of operatives. In consequence of the present duties, and the importations being restricted, the cost of manufacturing is regulated by the law of supply and demand wholly, and is not affected by the tariff.

"In my opinion the number of sheep has largely decreased in Van Buren County since 1865 [when there was no duty on wool]. I am a sheep-breeder, and would like many industry, believe for a good many years to come, and I am sure the business, the profit before the tariff was put on wool was as great and more than it is now. I have been in the business, and am unable to ascertain. I feel by reference to my books that I paid more wages in 1865 the same wages that I do now.

"ISAIAH MEEK."

Mr. Meek's letter is surely the most complete refutation of Mr. Gear's argument. Mr. Gear, however, puts it in a blanket episode in a new light. It had enough to send to protect a fire at the expense of the sheep; but what will be thought of a man who seeks to secure the great majority for the protection of a man who does not need it? Next time Mr. Gear undertakes to speak for a sheep it will be well for him first to find out that man's views and experience.—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

AS HE HARRISON'S SURROGATE?

Bishop Vincent Says that He Is "A Anti-Democrat, and Therefore a Republican."

A despatch from Ellisville, N. Y., says that much comment in political and religious circles has been caused there by the publication in the last issue of the Ellisville *Journal* (Rep.) of a letter written by Bishop Vincent to a lady in that town, declaring his position in the pending campaign.

The Bishop recently lectured in Ellisville, and through his reference to prohibition and the Republican nomination he has aroused considerable indignation. The letter, which was published in the *Journal* as stated:

"TONY CORTRIGHT,
"PHILADELPHIA, July 2, 1888.

"DEAR MRS. STILLWELL:—I am sorry to Ellisville is such pitiful politics. Of course the nomination of Harrison and Morton is a disappointment to me. I am not a 'Third Party man.' Being a true Prohibitionist and ANTI-BOURBONIST, I am

"Truly yours, etc.,
"JOHN H. VINCENT.

The publication is regarded by many Republicans in Ellisville as a great mistake, as it has had the effect to weaken the Republican ticket, and is said to be very detrimental to the Republican cause, judge of winning Irish votes.

POINTS FOR VOTERS.

From the Utterances of President Cleveland, Justice Samuel F. Miller and the Republican Platform.

We favor the entire repeal of internal taxes [whiskey and tobacco], rather than the surplus should be squandered for your protective system.—*Republican platform of 1888.*

To cheapen the price of whisky is to increase its consumption enormously. *There would be no sense in urging the reform* [repeal of high internal taxes] *if it did not.*—*President Cleveland's message.*

The National Government undertakes the good effort by making whisky cheaper.—*Cleveland.*

Every one of twenty-one's a quibble.—*Hudie's Paris interview.*

We condemn the position of the Democratic party to place wool on the free list. *Republican platform of 1888.*

I recommend an enlargement of the free list, so as to include within it the manufactures of iron, which yield to no industry in importance, a simplification of the complex and inconsistent schedule of duties upon certain manufactures, particularly those of cotton and wool, and a reduction of the aggregate amount of taxation, accomplished by the reduction of the duties upon those articles, and upon sugar, molasses, silk, wool and *distilled spirits.*—*President Arthur's last message.*

I would mention that the free list and for lower duties; those articles which enter into household use of all sorts. *And I duly paid upon such articles goes directly to the cost of the article when manufactured here, and must be paid for by the consumer.* These articles not only come from the consumers at home, but not as a protection to foreign manufacturers in our own and distant markets.—*President Grant's seventh annual message.*

"SUNDAY SCHOOL POLITICIANS"

Where the Free Whiskey Policy Was Driven From the Party.

SETH LOW, [Ex-Mayor of Brooklyn.]—"The policy outlined in the platform is a policy in which Brady I do not believe. It is a policy of which I can make no fight."

RICHARD S. STORRS, [Pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims (Congregational), Brooklyn.]—"I must take the words."

THEODORE L. CUYLER, [Pastor of Lafayette Avenue Church (Presbyterian), Brooklyn.]—"I enter my earnest protest against the reactionary plank on the most controverted question of the day. Instead of talking of the burdens from many tenements of 10c, it would give us free pipes of free whiskey! I would bring in a carnival of Bourbonism and Bacchus all over the land."

F. SCHAUFFLER, [Superintendent of New York City Missions].—"Where the gods would destroy *they first make mad.* The Republican party has departed from the principles of its founders. It so happens that the ex-Governor's statement, having been put before Mr. Mills of Texas, he, with whom I will be thanked in quantity were made, by a personal friend, to Mr. Meek, promptly wrote to him as follows:

JEREMIAH J. MIGGINS, [Presbyterian Pastor of the Union Tabernacle, New York city.]—"Ordinarily I would vote the Republican ticket, but I will not do so this year. I cannot do so. It seems to me the Republicans have made a grievous error, and grievously will they answer for it. They have put upon a platform, as put forth at Chicago, in the interest of power political expediency, a false principle. The idea of advocating free whiskey is preposterous."

The official statement of a railroad freight agent that over 30,000 extra loads of beer were consumed in Chicago during the sitting of the late Republican National Convention, explains another false partisan charge, namely—that Democrats monopolize the drink habit."

The Republicans claimed a great victory at the recent State election in Oregon. The returns evidence the remarkable fact that while the Democratic and Republican votes remained about as they were in 1886, the Prohibition vote has more than trebled—it has increased nearly 6,000. What did it? The charge is that one thousand repeaters piled their seductive loads in Portland alone, and because a Congressional minister justly denounced the corruption of the Republican party in the presidential election by corruption, the Republican Administration has removed the Democratic gentleman's head. A man declared Republican gets rid of thousands and all for weed. What a spotless victory!

The Democrats of Allegheny, the day was a pleasant one for an excursion, and the arrangements were perfect, under the direction of Mr. Hostetter, and the Democratic Mr. Wm. Singer of Monticello

THE VOICE OF LABOR.

The *Labor Signal*, the Washington's organ in Indianapolis, Ind., the home of General Harrison, thus speaks of the Republican nominees:

The men who made up the Chicago convention subscribed to no platform in regard for the wishes of organized labor. The nomination of Mr. Harrison was a genuine surprise to the organized workingmen of the state, because they had no reason to expect the nomination in the first place, and it did not seem probable that a man would be nominated who had identified himself with the enemies of labor in the conflict with a large number of voters in an extremely doubtful state by making the nomination.

The readers of this paper will remember that the efforts to defeat Mr. Harrison's candidacy for the Senate aroused two years ago among the labor organizations, and it was followed by a series of resolutions adopted by assemblies and unions, many of which were published in the *Signal* at the time.

This paper opposed Mr. Harrison's election to the Senate for reasons that would prevent it from supporting him for President. Such reasons, in our judgment, have not lessened, but on the contrary have been intensified by the position of the people this paper represents. Hundreds of the latter endorsed the resolutions of workingmen in this and other states, endorsing the *Signal's* position, and breathing a hearty welcome to Mr. Harrison's withdrawal from the contest.

Organized labor will decide the Presidential contest this year, and it is aligned against the candidacy of Benjamin Harrison. In our judgment Mr. Harrison's defeat is a foregone conclusion.

Neal Dow ridicules the Republican Chicago temperance plank. He says: "By shaking an empty measure at a horse you can make him believe there are oats in it, and draw him to you, but temperance man cannot be reckoned so foolish."

Farmer Brewer Smitten it Rich.

Farmer Robert Brewer of the White Oak Ridge road, near Summit, is said to have discovered oil on his premises. Iron and copper ore have also been found on the farm.

Pretty Good For Spring Chicks.

Two of this year's homing pigeons, hatched in the Spring, made a record Friday; A. M. of 28 miles to Scholes. They were the property of Mr. F. R. Stevens of the Plainfield Homing Club, and were released from High Bridge. They were gone one and had never been away from home before, but they came back in good time just the same.

Opera-Air Nonsense.

Mrs. Edward Love of East Fifth street, entertained the choir boys of Grace church, on Friday July 17. Music and a collation constituted the programme of the evening. All were delighted with the reception tendered them. They left in a body, fifteen in number, and while they observed decorum created popular airs. Their melodious voices ringing through the still of the night caused windows and doors to be suddenly thrown open. Their serenading was really a treat to those who appreciate good music.

North Plainfield Democratic Meeting.

The following notification was recently sent out to 2 number of the Democrats in North Plainfield, which will explain itself:

North Plainfield, N. J., July 13, 1888.

DEAR SIR:—A meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, July 17 at eight o'clock, in 100 Jackson avenue. You are requested to be present and assist in perfecting arrangements to further the election of Cleveland and Thurman.

John H. Jackson, R. C. Morse,
Wm. Bolling, Wm. Bradley,
John Bolton, W. H. Pangborn,
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C. J. Frytel, F. M. Slater,
Ira F. Elker.

Pursuant to the above call there was a fair gathering at the residence of C. J. Frytel, on Jackson avenue, last evening. Mr. John Bolton was elected chairman and Mr. Elker secretary.

A new club was organized and temporary officers were elected. The new club will be known as the "Cleveland and Thurman Club" of North Plainfield. Resolutions were adopted endorsing the nomination of Cleveland and Thurman; also endorsing Governor Cleveland's letter. A committee of two was appointed to procure a banner and also to make arrangements for securing rooms, etc. The committee was also instructed to look for a suitable spot and ascertain the probable cost of erecting a wigwam for political purposes. Adjournment was made for one week, at the same time and place, when permanent officers will be elected.

A CLOSE MATCH.

Plainfield Loses the Championship Shooting Match.

There was a large attendance on the grounds of the Jersey City Heights Gun Club at Marion, N. J., July 13, to witness the match between Mr. Chas. Smith of this city, and A. Moritz of Orange Valley, N. J. Both gentlemen are members of the Middlesex Gun Club, and have made many a good score at the traps before. The conditions of the match were—50 live birds each, both barrels, 5 traps, 30 yards rise, 80 a side. Veteran Al. Bollinger furnished the first lot of good flyers, while his noted setter dog "Duke" retrieved the dead birds in a manner that elicited the applause of the spectators. In the beginning Mr. Smith was so unfortunate as to lose his first bird—not however, through any fault of his aim, but because "Duke" failed to connect in capturing the wounded bird after Charley had fired his first barrel, and dare not use his second for fear of hitting the dog. The bird had flown far enough by to "top the fence" and was declared "lost."

Both contestants then got in a fair form and the shooting went until the 30th bird, when the German element began to assert itself and Smith gained a bird over his competitor. When the 45th bird had been shot at "Charley" bid "Jim" by one bird, and everywhere even those who had placed their money on Manilla—"gave it up" in favor of the Dutch Clock, however, failed to shoot until the 50th bird, succeeded in loosing the match by missing his last two birds, one a smart right and left, and the other a straight away. Mr. Smith had the hardest birds to shoot at. Throughout the match he outshot Mr. Manilla, and it was only by sheer luck that he lost the match. Mr. Manilla, however, did some good work and made some fine kills. Following is the score:

MANILLA.

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CHAS. H. STILLMAN, Postmaster.

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—The peach growers report that the prospect for a good crop continues very fine. The fruit seems to have been stung by an insect, but it is not falling off as much and fail from the tree. The present prospects are not bright. The branches, however, will remain small, and the prize as well.

—It is reported that Mr. T. S. Brooks of West Seventh street, will bring a suit for damages against the Electric Light Company, to recover damages for the injury to his property, caused by the recent fall of a telegraph pole on Central avenue, which was caused by the carriage coming in contact with the pole, which stood.

—A paragraph in regard to the rounds and pickets in certain newspapers to the effect that "Engineer Gilchrist of Jersey Central locomotive No. 40 recently ran a mile and a quarter in 1 minute and 30 seconds, a distance of 54 miles in 45 minutes." This is false, as the distance by actual measurement between the two points, is only 52 miles.

—Joseph H. Crosby, the butcher who fell from the scaffolding to the sidewalk before while decorating from the Park Avenue Baptist Church for the celebration of July 4, was released from Muhlenberg Hospital morning July 13. The injured man had not fully recovered, but he became more hopeful of life. The doctors say he yet suffers from a fractured rib.

—A party of young people from the Third ward went to the woods on Thursday night last week. When they returned they were surprised to find that they had left the lights burning in the house, and that the night lamps were also lighted. A generous amount of perfume had a quick sprung the house, and as a result a reporter, although not summoned, was made.

—Wednesday, July 4, was the date for the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Plainfield Public Library and Free Reading Room, but on account of the day being celebrated as a legal holiday, no meeting of the Directors was held. There was a meeting of the Library Committee, however, at noon of the day, except the meeting of a few citizens, no business was transacted. The Library will be open to-day.

—The east Second Road will soon be on hand.

—There is now direct telephonic communication between this city and Westfield.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hummer and son Walter returned from their enjoyable visit to "Brown," "W. H.," and "D. H."

—Andrew Leibler of the Borough, had grass cut for dinner on Sunday picked the first ripe cucumber. What can beat this?

—At a special meeting of the Y. Engine company, held Monday night, it was decided to have an excursion to Cold Spring Harbor on August 20. The various committees were appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

—Probably not one in ten of the dogs in Plainfield has taken paid for it. If it has, the owner has forgotten the fact. In fact of the rare, as their owners would not keep them if compelled to pay taxes on them as the dog law directs.

—The members of the Street Commissioner is respectfully called to the condition of the roadbed on the South side of Park avenue at the intersection of Randolph street. There the roadbed has sunken and deep gullies into the roadbed, making it unsafe for travel. This dangerous spot should be repaired without delay.

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PASSING NOTES.

Only a Poor Little Orphan.

A COOK-STOVE IN SPAIN.

An Amusing Consul Tells How He Imported That Familiar Convenience.

H. C. Marston, our consul at Malaga, Spain, makes a report to the state department in relation to the introduction of an American cook-stove into that city, and the consequent interest which it has excited. Mr. Marston's report is not a success. The Malaga people are not to Spain for cooking ars, he says, one of the most primitive character, and he has found the "heroic" now used in Andalusia. This is a sort of kiln with a charcoal fire, and the cooking is done in earthen pots. Mr. Marston, in describing the stove, says: "I ordered one from Boston, and received it safely, but found that the stove-pipe had been left behind. When Mr. Marston mentioned to his friends that he was thinking of getting an American cook-stove, he was told he would be unable to hire a cook, as hard cash was the only thing that he could offer, and no Spanish servant would put up with it.

"However," said Mr. Marston, "I ordered one, and left it at Gibraltar for Malaga. Unfortunately, on its arrival here, having been badly packed, it was broken to pieces. But I found an Englishman who, being a good workman, succeeded in riveting the broken pieces together, and it was made to answer. He charged me, however, for repairing being almost as much as the original cost of the stove. When it was put up I had the pleasure of cooking the first meal ever prepared in Spain by means of a stove. Then, to my disgust, I found that the oven had lost the broken plates. This they refused to do, but tender consideration for the feelings of the cook induced me to have a cast iron, and in due season the box arrived in Malaga, but the freight and duty charged upon the stove it originally charged upon the stove it self.

"I will now relate my experience in the use of this stove. At first my cook was much pleased with it, and with my new manner and made every objection to its use, but it was not more than a week before I found it in the hands of nearly all the cooks in Malaga. When my cook returned it to me, after a day or two, stove and pipe, we ordered our cook not to light the stove the follow-ing morning, as we had to go to the country. To this the woman protested, saying she could not now get anything but charcoal, and that the fire in the stove would be too fierce. In the end the stove remained nothing could induce her to light it. Then I found it necessary to get rid of it, and did so, the use of this American stove.

"In the course of time the flame at the top of the stove was the only part which was not destroyed. The oven, together with all the friends and acquaintances of our workmen, and had received many presents of cooked food, and ordered that of these stews, each from the same pot that shipped it, after they had done with it. The fourth of the stews was sent to me, and I found in the bottom of the pot a gold watch and chain, which I returned to the owner. I am informed that the Malaga people have been doing a thriving trade in stoves.

The next install ation is a creature of considerable importance. It is not ever personally or make-up contents. Its be is essentially a being of ob-servation. It is a mirror. It has a head, but it is not the head of a man, for it has no brain. It has eyes, but they are not eyes that belong to the head of a man, for they are not connected with the brain. It has a mouth, but it is not a mouth that can speak. It has a body, but it is not a body that can feel. It has limbs, but they are not limbs that can walk. It has a voice, but it is not a voice that can sing. It has ears, but they are not ears that can hear. It has a heart, but it is not a heart that can love. It has a soul, but it is not a soul that can live. It is a looking-glass.

Styles of Dressing.

Among the most popular and styles of dress now worn are those of the Directoire period. The skirt is short, and the waist is draped, from one shoulder to the waist, in front and back. The sleeves are short and full, and the neck is cut low. A black velvet ribbon is worn around the throat, and a bow and ends of the same are worn at the back of the neck. A new feature in the dress of the period is the Directoire cloak, which is a long cape, with a hood, and is worn over the shoulders. These cloaks are made of the same material as the dress, and are lined with silk of the same color. Some of the cloaks are trimmed with fur, and others with lace. Those made of the same material as the dress are trimmed with the same goods as the dress. Some of the cloaks are made with sleeves, and others are without sleeves. Those with sleeves are the most popular. The sleeves are full, and are gathered at the wrist. The cloaks are worn with the hood thrown back, and the ends of the ribbon are tied in a bow under the chin. The hood is lined with silk of the same color as the cloak

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How to answer the following letter from a young man in Poughkeepsie, says a reflection in the New York World, has caused me much thought. It is as follows:

DEAR SIR:—You have tortured a great deal, I fear, and if you will kindly drop me a line you will relieve me of a great deal of trouble. I am a young man of twenty-two years of age, and have been employed in a store for the past three years, and am now out of employment. I have been thinking of taking a tramp through the country during the summer months, and would like to know if you would advise me to do so. If you would, please tell me how much money I would require, and what I would require in the way of clothing, etc. Please excuse me for troubling you, but I am in great need of advice, and I know of no one to whom I can apply with more confidence than to you.

I appreciate the delicacy of your compliment, John Quincy, but I would have been just as deeply indebted if you had consulted a boarding-house directory and some evening, time-tables and saved yourself the brain work and the large blue envelope with which you have honored me.

How can I tell what you wish to do or go fishing? Please answer the following questions by number and, briefly, *or write a certificate from your family physician*, which I will turn on file:

First—Are you married or single, or both, if so, how long?

Second—From what college did you graduate and what position did you hold on the team?

Third—Does your health require the daily use of fresh asparagus, cigarettes and lawn tennis, or can you withstand the hardships of a season in the Catskills?

Fourth—How often have you been engaged, *and if frequently, state the most prominent feature of the family objections.*

Fifth—Is there any particular spot you would like to infest during August and September, and if so, are you financially able to get there and get back without leaving a lien on three blazers and the interest on your watch?

Sixth—Do you like the seashore, or do you prefer to flee as a bird to the mountains and wail back?

Seventh—Can you swim with both feet off bottom, or do you generally drown in deep water?

By a swift perusal of the above form properly filled out, I will be enabled to tell you whether you would be a good device, but at present I do not see my way clear to doing your case justice.

You have a large and varied field open to your choice, John, and you must indeed be an infidel if you are not pleased.

You have Long Island from Long Branch, Coney Island, Patchogue and ninety-four miles of Long Island boarding-houses; to the east and the south of you is the green isles of Vineyard Haven and northerly are New-port, Bar Harbor and the glorious forests of Maine. Whitewasher your fancy's butterfly wings may flutter, your pocket-book may flatten, but the summer is yours.

Through your pleasure-purpled meadows the sad heart when shall follow.

Blue-eyed June shall find you in the twinkling shadows of the larches, hand

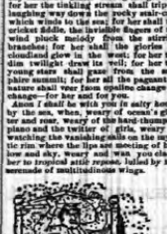
AMONG THE LARCHES.

in hand with her—*goddess of your day-dreams.*

For her and her alone shall the sumach-lined lane be gloriously arched, and where the bobolink and thrush pour music into the golden urns of the silence of noon.

For her *shall* the Marguerite's pale petals be plucked, and for her shall the shy sanctuaries beside among the grasses; for her the tinkling stream shall trip its laughter way down a low point of rock which winds to the sea; for her shall the darkest shade be the inviting haven of the wild plucck melody from the stirring branches; for her shall the sun's last rays deepen the glow in the west, for her the dim twilight draw its veil; for her the young stars shall peer from the star-sapphire summit; for her all the pageant of nature shall from day to day change to change—for her and for you.

Anon *I shall be with you to salty haunts* by the sea, where, weary of sand-glitter and sore, weary of the hard-thumped piano and the twitter of girls, weary of watching the vanishing sails on the mystic rim where the lips are meeting of blue sea and blue sky, I will *woo and win you her to tropical attic repose*, lulled by the mermaid's dreamful soundless wings.



THE SERENADE.

Yet soon shall I follow you upon the bosom of the deep, where a stout wind is driving the airy canoe from watery cove to watery cove, and the spirit of speech is breath—the skill of your seamanship defying the elements until by some unfortunate accident I am cast upon the same side up and your shrift thoughts fly toward home.

THINKING OF HOME.

Up the mountains of memory the old and hoary, down the balsam-scented ravine, over the rolling creeds of Neptune, or through the valleys of Ida, where you and I are wedded, my spirit shall be pursuant to your every whim.

But do not, O John, harden your soul now with the vexations of choice. Put away from you the thought of how far the Catskills are from Coney Island, and buy your ticket for any where and you will be happy.

I also have with great pleasure that a Mr. Passington Carr, who inserts several dozen small-type lines in the Times, but is otherwise a great and profound gentleman, is about to make a circuit of Great Britain and possibly the United States for the purpose of delivering his famous lecture entitled "How to Be Dumb Animals." Mr. Carr has not yet written to ask my advice before taking this important step, and has also forgotten to send me a prospectus stating form of remuneration, but I am willing to aid his enterprise, but I am so deeply interested in the success of Mr. Carr that I might to those trivial courtesies and will do the best I can for him.

"How to Win Dumb Animals" is a complete and beautiful subject, and I have no doubt that Mr. Carr will handle it with enthusiasm and zeal, but there are certain points which I would like to see upon which I would like to submit to him before he kindly crosses to this side.

I have devoted years of my life to the study of dumb animals, principally, however, to the study of their feelings, and that any one who would do tranquility in the world of dumb animals must appeal to all directions would be decidedly surprised to see how many dumb animals and other varieties of God's creatures would flock to him, attracted by the magnetism unconsciously poured forth. One day when I was sitting on the banks of the Nile and fast fondly, despite the gruffly society of several dozen sand-fleas, I conceived this statement and resolved to try it on. The radiations of my benevolence must have got a kink in it somewhere, for the only thing which flocked during about forty minutes was a small but energetic five centipede, which was tunnelling up my leg somewhere, and which I was using as an assistant in order to entertain him let go. I then resumed the radiation, and in a short time I was rewarded with having won from the depths a four-ton hippopotamus, with an expression on his countenance like the Lorny Cave. I would have liked to remain and study this noble animal, but, just then I remembered that I promised to be at camp, two miles down the river, in twenty-five minutes, and I got there in six.

The experience of mine I said a sad parallel in the case of my friend George Washtop, one December day some years ago, when we were both living on the Dakota Reservation, in Florida. George loved dumb animals. Shortly after the dumb animals loved him with a deep and lasting love which was beautiful to observe. *On the bright and genial* one morning we were on the banks of the Ohio, and George was trying to entice my pards above me with his fishing-rod, his benevolence and a gob of worms. His magnetism must have radiated very powerfully, for he attracted a large alligator with a nine-foot snout, and as I had a bass fondler around my hook and could not leave, George vanished.

GEORGE VANISHED.

We captured the alligator two days later, and identified some of his contents —four buck teeth, one suspender and a Mexican sombrero as last seen in connection with George; I now have a large value made from my friend's last home, and when packing for a journey I always shed tears into it.

Now, John, you see what I am driving at in the lecture line to the effect that the study of dumb animals, by a dumb sight, but he will take kindly instruction in how to act for sister animals as to let the instructor's finger between the lids of his beak and startle him both with agony and a burst of nautical language not fit for a family paper.

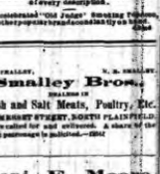
TWO AT A TIME.

A favorite and harmless way of wiling away time and valuable Brooklyn hogs is to pay $5 for the privilege of shooting their weight. The artist who tries to illustrate this article is an expert hog gunner, and he promises to introduce a diagram of his own method in pursuing this ever-exciting pastime at the next meeting of the Hog-Guessing Club in Newark. *A skillful man, he says, can* secure the heart of two hogs at once, and keep himself in short-ribs, pickled pettitoes and boneless hams for several at trifling expense.

How to win a wife is a lost art, which I hope Mr. Carr will rescue from the slums of time for the benefit of persons already possessing one. Mr. Carr could not be enabled to lose their cat and stay-home-at-night. Mr. Carr's system, as I have given a great deal of study to, is as follows: When a cat comes into the world with his elder and other little brothers and sisters, he is playful and giddy for several months—except in the case of one who is distending his abdomen with milk, yelling for his mother or toying in an earnest manner with the fringe of a rug—but he soon settles down to sit down upon him. After this, however, he grows thoughtful and pensive, devotes more time to society and friendship, joins the outdoor club, becomes musical and thinks it funny to be uproarious in dark corners at hours usually devoted by moral persons to sleep and rest. I hope Mr. Carr will have a great deal to say in favor of the cat, for it will be a valuable feature of his entire work.

It is said that dogs may be won by kindness, and I believe they can be so particularly if the kindness be mixed with large portions of meat. I am a heartstrong and bob-tailed bulldog once who had the happy faculty of remembering in the early morning when I fed him and forgetting me when I came home late at night. On one occasion he seemed to be uncertain whether I was a friend or an enemy, and to make sure he extracted a large sample of leg to see if he could not detect me by the personal flavor. A sympathizer friend who called next morning with the surgeon *told me that by forbearance, and persuasion* and kindness I could soften the asperity of the dog, but I found it more delightful and satisfying to shoot him on sight from a club and then with a dose of Rough on Rats.

I remember once reading that any horse animal may be at once subdued by looking him straight in the eye. I tried this process two years ago on a dog who was in the habit of stealing my pies and borrowing some apples in an orchard near Catskill, and as soon as I can recollect the experiment I will try it once more. The trouble was that while I was looking into his eye he was looking at my trousers and our glances failed to meet, but while this circumstance caused me a great deal of humorous study, it does not invalidate the theory. It may be that I was not looking at him right, or picked him on had something to do with his reluctance to pause and become subdued, and my experience need not, there



HE WAS NOT SENSORY.

fore, discourage other persons desiring to investigate, but I would recommend some other orchard and a less absent-minded dog.

Humorous husband—Maria, what do you think? This morning a man looked me straight in the face and cut me dead. Trusting wife—Good gracious! Who was it? Humorous husband—The barber.—*Boston Bulletin.*

He—Isn't the country looking lovely these days, Miss Kentlea? The grass, the grass and the budding trees are evidences of approaching summer. She—Yes, indeed, and Mr. Jas already got a new front gate.—*Judge.*

A brother of one of the lady teachers who purchased Dorlon's Almanac for Dakota recently visited that section for the purpose of removing the remains to the old home in Ireland. He met up with the school directors where she had been teaching, and made the announcement her bill if for cash because she had not finished the term.

A Little Boy's Decision.

One day a small boy entered a store. The merchant looked him and asked:

"Well, sir, what will you have to-day?"

"O, please, sir, mayn't I do some work for you to-day? You see, sir, my mother is very poorly, and she says this morning if she could find someone to help her she could get through with her work by 'leven o'clock. Please, sir, mayn't I do some of the ashes and—and—and—haven't got no work to do, sir?"

The merchant looked, and his blue eyes filled with tears.

"I don't want help you to scrub breakfast, my little fellow," said the merchant, rubbing his eyes powerfully with his coat sleeve, "but you can help me and tell your mother that I'll give her a dollar and a half if you'll come back on Monday. But she mustn't expect any more from me, and then she kneeled down and thanked God for giving her such a treasure of a boy as Bobbie."

Getting the Ears Shaved.

Probably the reader has never had his or her ears shaved. Poor thing. Then he knows him. If you would ask *for joy on earth go forth* and have your ears shaved. What sustains one through the dark hours? How doth that heathen Chang can wield his razor in and out among the chinkwang pool away even to the very tip of the orifice of the ear, as it monkeys with the tympanum and sends forth all the thrill of inexpressible joy and exstacy must shoot through every nerve, from the spine and the medulla oblongata down to one touch hard enough to make one's eyes water, or tweak even when he puts those long black tweezers away down into the ear and fishes about for a hair, and then at the end, with a harsh wunderlowen into the drum of your ear on a *wire siem sad-tinkles* [illegible] and plays with it!

Why, it is simply divine! More than sublime—surpassing in its exquisite pleasure —infinite! It only costs a quarter, and the first drink of beer after the shave is the art of dodging it has an expansive fortune around it. Only think of the kingdom come!—*New York Telegram.*

Not Going to Fall Into That Error Again.

Edward—I love you, Miss Claribel. Will you be my wife?

Claribel—Certainly right away.

Edward—But—the necessary delays —the ministers?

Claribel—O, that's all right. Papa is in the next room. He's the Mayor, you know. He'll make the mistake of a long engagement once or twice before. Come!

They stampede.—*Ted-Bite.*

The Lady is in Needlework.

The work of cooking seems to be causing almost as much tribulation in Jersey and steamboat circles since it did in the days when Eve first discovered the apple. Since the former will not be allowed to cook on the steamboat, the capital and the Smoking talk will be confined almost entirely to the name from the gridiron is used, the smoke from the kitchen stove lined by England butchers. The material is first-class, cooked with great exactness, served with great exactness, and left being counted, and then the little graves are thrown together in Philadelphia since 1873.

A circular is abundantly signed by the oldest citizens of Newark, asking for reformation [illegible] the house of lords.

California [illegible] cries are locating a factory for manufacturing soap from [illegible] a new properties discovered by Professor Colton.

Alabama boasts of nineteen cotton mills, representing an investment of nearly $2,000,000, and an annual production of about $4,000,000.

The New York Chamber of Commerce is the most prosperous institution of the kind in the United States. It has now nearly one thousand members.

Among the curious names found in a list of noted contemporary base ball professionals are Tibeau, Nias, Mains, Sowders, McGeachy and Bastian.

The New York Club has a membership of 625 citizens and about two hundred non-residents; and its new quarters at Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, have cost $450,000.

Ishmael Weaver, a colored man who died at Barnesville, Ga., recently, was the father of twenty-two children, by whom fifty-two were able-bodied farm hands when he died.

Mme. Rodriguez, wife of the Mexican minister to the United States, was Miss Lucretia Allen of Philadelphia, and she is one of the most accomplished matrons in the diplomatic corps.

Gen. Angus W. Walthall, the Mississippi senator, is said to look like a cavalier who has just stepped out of one of Sir Peter Lely's canvases. He is six feet tall, erect, symmetrical, with a fine head of hair that falls to his shoulders.

It is not uncommon thing for the immigrants to land at Castle Garden with families of five or ten children, and generally a father and wife, with this family of children, disembarked there. It is only fair to mention, however, that the women are the men's third wife.

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The next time a pneumatic tube is laid between Boston and Chicago, Miss Kentlea will be the first to send a message. The grocer and the bedding furnisher are evidences of approaching summer. Mr. Jas. Kentlea and Mr. Jas already got a new front gate.—*Judge.*

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WIT AND HUMOR.

Life is not unlike a box of strawberries—the big ones are on top.—*Tid-Bits.*

Fangle—What was left in your uncle's will, Cuttus? Cuttus (ruefully) Why, everybody was remembered.

A debt of honor is one that disgraces a man when the consideration is known.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Smiled young (languidly)—Do you sing "Forever and Forever?" She (practically)—No, Miss Young, forever.—*Life.*

It may be said of a man successful in love. He came, he saw, he conquered, and she consented.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Hi.—It is strange, dear, we cannot live without each other. Lois.—And yet, when we do quarrel we do not speak.—*Life.*

Skilful Mamma—I do hope the ceremony will go off without a hitch tomorrow. Father—Egad, I don't! It's the groom's last chance.—*Life.*

Voyager (on the banks of the Styx) How look pretty well, played out, old man? Charon—Well, yes. If the "Oldest Master" doesn't stop flying I'll have to hire a boatman.—*Philadelphia Call.*

Two members of a Brooklyn church got into a heated dispute while standing on a street corner after church rehearsal. These delights of practice don't generally re-shoot rehearsal.—*New York Tribune.*

Country minister (in shocked tone of voice)—Why, my little boy, what are you fishing Sunday for? Little boy (disgusted with his luck)—Makes minister say—I never knew 'em so shy.—*Tid-Bits.*

"Yes, sir," said the Auburn parent Sunday, "what was the text?" "I dunno, pa," was the reply of the offspring. "I guess it was. He that hath himself shall be exhausted."—*Lewiston Journal.*

The wild gentleman was trying to find a northwest passage from the bog to the nearest point of the duck, and was muttering under his breath. "Ah, I whispered Bobby, "is pa saying grace?"—*New York Sun.*

Mother (to stranger in town)—Is Maude Hilly a girl who cares much for style? Maudie—Styles! I should think she did. Why, the other day she had rats her meals off a fashion plate!—*Merriftown Herald.*

Mrs. J. A. Atsley of Decatur, Ga., has a pair of Indian moccasins donated to her grandchild by Gen. Andrew Jackson, who obtained them in Florida during some of the earlier conflicts of the government with the Seminole Indians.

"Your thirty-third, Will, it isn't more than 3 o'clock. What's the use of a watch like that?" Cadby—"Useful enough, my boy, when you know how it isn't when I look at that watch. That's the use of it."—*Harper's Bazar.*

Small Smallow, the lawyer of "less learning," asked the school committeeman of the candidate for teacher he was examining, and the young man answered almost mindedly—"I don't know, sir, I am sure, unless it may have spent the winter in Dakota."—*Somerville Journal.*

It isn't always the boy who can tell the teacher the greatest many multiplications miles the sun is from the earth on a hot July day who is going to succeed in finding the distance from the home plate to second base when the dandy base-runner of the situation Arrangements is the boy to steal a bag.—*Somerville Journal.*

Mamma—Did he propose? Daughter —No, but he did the next best thing to it, Mamma—What do you mean, Daughter—He heard me ask about spool cotton since put on his overcoat, and Mary and Tommy saw me. Mamma—Get your things directly, sir. It can't help it, sir. Why, mind it won't be over months before you have those of your own. Mamma—Get your things directly, sir. I intend to double and treble it to every one of them. Mamma—Get your things packed up, and it won't be two years before we have a wedding in the house. The wedding will stand right here; one hundred and fifty guests will sit in this room; the bridesmaids will stand in this corner; the high-school building will stand right here; and the quarter-of-a-million opera house will stand where you are now standing, and you know it. Pa—Pass the potatoes, please, and the gravy. Pa—Probably I am addicted to [illegible] Mrs. Dusenberry, of those Darrington boys. He is a good fellow, but they say that he and I meet with those boys again he'll make a home run of it.—*Merriftown Herald.*

It's may hear some of it home."—*Suggested* Mrs. Dusenberry, with motherly kindness. "Probably I am addicted to [illegible] Mrs. Dusenberry, of those Darrington boys. He is a good fellow, but they say that he and I meet with those boys again he'll make a home run of it.—*Merriftown Herald.*

Mrs. Dusenberry, with motherly kindness. "You are entirely off your base, my dear. Who is Darrington?

"Darrington is a manager in town"—Is Maude Hilly a girl who cares much for style? Maudie—Styles! I should think she did. Why, the other day she had rats her meals off a fashion plate!—*Merriftown Herald.*

"Well, it is a vice you'd better get rid of then. Refined conversation is a mark of culture, and you'd better use that freely and I'll give it to him right off my hat. I'll be disgusted with it. Let me see. What's whispered Bobby, "is pa saying grace?"—*New York Sun.*

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OUR FLAG IS THERE.

The Passage of Mills' Tariff Bill through the House of Representatives on Saturday last by thirteen majority.

The Republican organs are now out in large Brooklyn manufacturer, who is a man of great wealth, "Hitherto a Democrat, has come out for Harrison and Morton. Similar changes have been reported in other parts of the country. Such indications serve to bring out the more clearly the issue of the campaign. There is the highest Republican authority for the principle that "the duties on imports should be laid with due regard to the protection of home industry and labor." In evidence our reaction to a paper extended and does away with a cumbersome revenue system.

It has been urged for the acceptance of this that he is a business and wise.

By providing for free raw materials it opens the way for a vast increase of manufacturing industries, thereby largely increasing the demand for labor. Enabling American fabrics to compete in the markets of the world, and re-establishing commerce under the flag of the United States, which the Republican party during its control of Government has almost entirely driven from the ocean.

It aims to protect the right and interests of workingmen by every lawful means, in promoting Trades and Workingmen.

In the name and on behalf of the people of antagonizing class legislation of every kind.

The Democratic party openly and frankly declares in favor of a customs protective tariff, for revenue only. This we will stand, and with it go before the people.

Come on Mac!!!

PEANUT POLITICS.

The extraordinary and long delayed confirmation of the nomination of Melville W. Fuller, of Chicago, as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, by the Republican Senate of the United States, very properly gave vent for much delighted merriment to the Democratic press, and especially betokening such lack of action "peanut politics."

The opposition to confirming the President's wise selection for Chief Justice it appears was mainly engineered by Senators Edmunds and Evarts, who, after exhausting all the pretext voters they could command, were compelled to make ignominious defeat.

The Senate on Friday last confirmed Chief Justice Fuller by a vote of 41 to 20, every Democratic Senator present voting in the affirmative, with the following Republicans—Frye and Hale, of Maine; Cameron and Quay, of Pennsylvania; Dolph and Pierce, of Oregon; Jones, of Nevada; Mitchell, of Oregon; Riddleberger, of Virginia.

It is true to the Republican Senator Farwell, of Illinois, who personally knew all about Mr. Fuller, to say that he deliberately advocated his appointment before the Senate, declaring that the President "had made a good appointment, and he (Farwell) was glad to see it confirmed. The man was honest and able."

Lost and Found.

At 12:40 o'clock Wednesday, the body of Patrick English, a workman foreman in the employ of the Central Railroad, was suddenly destroyed by fire together with his wife and daughter, and the home of the family, one horse, engine and agricultural implements.

The fire was situated on the Farwood township road, one mile south of Westfield. The loss is $1,000, and no insurance. The Westfield fire department responded promptly, but did not succeed in getting a stream of water on the blazing building. The fire had gained such headway, however, that nothing could quench the flames.

BURGLARY.

Miss Nellie Smith has returned from her visit to the Catskills.

Mr. Buchanan and family of Stamford, are visiting Mr. F. J. Reeve's this week.

Mr. Ridgeway of Morristown, N. J., is now the owner of the Tallman property.

Mr. Tooke and family of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. Samuel Lockey of Front street.

Mr. David W. Cockell is about again, having just recovered from a long attack of the grippe.

Mr. M. A. Davis, we are happy to say, has recovered from his illness and is now attending to business.

Mrs. Kelchner has organized that genius of a large family, residing on North avenue. Mr. John Jasper is the leader.

Mr. Richmond and family are taking their vacation at Ocean Grove. Rev. Mr. Lippincott is supplying the pulpit during his absence.

"The first grand concert and grand promenade of the season will be given by the T. A. B. Society will be held in St. Mary's Hall on Thursday, August 2. The new City Detroit Band will give an operatic concert and Prof. Schaefer's celebrated Hungarian band will furnish the music for dancing. Admission to the hall will be 25 cents.

MR. FRANK SCHNITZER'S FUNERAL.

(From "The Press" of July 26.)

There was a somewhat solemn appearance about the corner of Front and Plane streets yesterday afternoon, the time arranged for the assemblage of the funeral of Frank Schnitzer, who was drowned in the lake at Cranside, on Friday afternoon. The deceased was a man who was noted for his honesty and integrity, and one who was a friend to all and foe to none at all times. Surely he will be missed in the community in which he lived, and in which he was a favorite of all. The kind and loving disposition won for him a host of friends and admirers, who were present, yesterday, to pay their respects to the departed.

At the hours there was a scene of mourning, and the grief which had overtaken the family in their sad affliction was apparent on every side. They had to lay in the parlor, encased in a handsome walnut casket, with silver extension handles. The features on the dead man's face did not indicate long suffering, but rather of one slumbering peacefully.

The deceased was prominently identified with several secret societies, namely, the Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows, Royal Arcanum and the Endowment Rank, District Deputy Grand Chancellor H. J. Martin of this city, officiating at the lodge.

The Junior Forresters Lodges and Crescent Div., U. R. K. of P., attended in a body, and a delegation was present from the Royal Arcanum Council, the Endowment Rank, Odd Fellows' Lodge of Westfield, Olive Branch No. 72 K. of P. of Elizabeth and Lodge of the Castle of Somerville.

At half-past two o'clock, the members of the above societies, numbering about 300 persons marched to the late home of the deceased, headed by the Orange Band. Mr. Parks, escorted the body to the Scotch Plains Baptist church, arriving there a little after four o'clock. The casket was carried into the church and deposited in front of the pulpit, the friends occupying seats assigned them in front. In the left of the house sat the family, the last floral designs—one a harp presented by Perseverance Lodge, and the other a broken column from Goodwill Lodge—occupied prominent positions on the platform. The church was densely filled with mourners and friends of the family.

Rev. Mr. Parks, the pastor, officiated, and began the services by scripture reading. He took his text from Judges third chapter, and a part of the 20th verse: "I have a message from God unto thee." God's providences, he said, are just as much to man as His words; when God comes in death to a family He speaks just as plain as though His words were uttered from heaven; sudden death is more emphatically a message from the great Jehovah, than one of lingering disease. The duty of the present hour this community has been truly afflicted. One of our townsmen passed away at his own door-step; another was taken in the full vigor of a railroad accident, and to-day one more dear and respected by all is called away. Surely the messenger of God has come to this community to prepare it for the future world; saddened countenances betoken the fact that we do hear God's message and are not unmindful of His summons.

Here the Rev. Mr. Parks spoke feelingly of the relationship existing between deceased and himself, as the latter was a member of the K. of P., and he knew him and respected him as. "To them," he continued, "the loss of a brother is a fellowship sundered; a vacant place brought to mind." Others outside his organization are equally afflicted. Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company is affected through another channel; the Company is parting with a loyal and faithful member, one always ready and willing to do that which was best for his fellow men. To the Endowment Rank the K. of P., and kindred first to portent an organization, and to adopt plans; he was also the first to break its ranks; to all of us who have intimated with a good deal of companionship of life, the affliction is deeply severe, and the laying away of this brother is but a message from God. So just ready for the future, for the eternity that is going to dawn! Death enters the loving household and declares that the happy relationship is broken; it comes to every family. God does not make mistakes; men do. All things work together for the good of those who love God.

In closing, the Rev. Dr. told of his own personal relationship with the deceased, which brought tears to many eyes. He spoke of him as a man of true Christian resignation—as an honored and esteemed by all who knew him. "Honor God in life, and death will have no harm."

After a prayer by the pastor, the friends were given an opportunity to view the remains for the last time. At the grave the service was short and impressive, and conducted by the Chancellor assisted by the Grand Lodge, K. of P., Assemblyman Urich acting as Prelate. The body was then lowered to rest in the family plot in the Baptist cemetery.

Besides the floral decorations above referred to there were several other beautiful designs presented by the various organizations. There were eight pall-bearers, two each from Goodwill Lodge, Excelsior Lodge, Odd Fellows' and Knights of Pythias, and Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company.

Among those present from out of town who are prominently connected with the K. of P., were the following: P. G. C. Henry C. Russell of New Brunswick; G. K. of R. and S., Eugene V. Lorton of Somerville; G. M. of E., Wilson of Lambertville; G. I. G., Kilmurray of New Brunswick; D. D. G. C., H. J. Martin of Plainfield; D. D. G. C., Whitty of Somerville; P. D. D. G. C., Charles of Elizabeth. Also present and ex-Chief Jacques of the New Brunswick Fire Department was also present at the obsequies.

Mr. Hunsinger was the general superintendent over Mr. Warren Ackerman's large tract of land, which extends to and includes Lake Cranside. On the property there are two beautiful lakes, the upper or larger lake emptying into a smaller one through a raceway. The flood gate at the head of the raceway, upon Monday, was opened by a workman named Thomas Malloy, the two lakes started out to overflow and the work of refilling began. Yesterday afternoon to make the new many repairs.

Arriving at the lake, Mr. Hunsinger attempted to swim out to a raft about 300 feet from the shore, and when about half way was stricken with apoplexy, and sank to the bottom. Malloy being unable to swim to the rescue, ran around the lake as fast as he could, and with a pole tried to reach the drowning man. The latter, however, did not again rise to the surface.

Malloy hastened to the nearest neighbors and got assistance, and after an hour's work the body was recovered. When taken from the water life was extinct, and good water people. The deceased was in his 41st year. A widow, one son and two children survive him.

Mr. Hunsinger moved to Scotch Plains in April, 1876, and had gained many warm friends since his residence there. He was at the time of his death Chairman of the Township Committee, a member of Knowlton H. & L. Co. No. 1, Past Chancellor and Keeper of Records and Seal of Excelsior Lodge No. 74 K. of P., and a member of Crescent Division, No. 12, U. R. K. of P. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows' Lodge at Westfield, and of the Endowment Rank, Royal Arcanum and the Endowment Rank, No. 258, K. of P.

K. of P. Meeting.

The members of the Order of American Friends held a regular meeting in Fireman's Hall, evening 24th, with Chief T. O. Dubois presiding. The following officers were nominated for the ensuing year, and elected: [illegible]

An Attempted Kidnapping.

A man representing himself as a detective came out from New York Monday afternoon and attempted to kidnap a boy named Barry, who resides with his mother in Sliger alley. Officer Lynch arrested the man, but he was subsequently released on the ground that the prisoner was an uncle of the boy, who was desirous of placing him in school, and adopted this method to entice the boy away from home.

He Was There At Last.

Mr. Christian H. Ahrens of East Seventh street, after a narrow escape from being run over by the 7:30 train, Friday A. M., boarded the 8:00 o'clock, as it was leaving the station, and almost swung himself into the cab of the engine. The train was subsequently stopped at Washington street to let Mr. Ahrens off—and there appeared on every side. They hastening on the excursion train which the spectators then discovered was what he was after.

An Agreeable Surprise.

Mrs. V. Dunigan of North Plainfield was agreeably surprised at her residence corner of Du street and Mercer avenue, Monday evening, the occasion being a surprise party tendered to her by the members and friends of the Ladies Christian Work Society of the German Reformed church. The guests numbered about thirty, who brought with them a liberal supply of refreshments, which Miss Anna Pfeiffer presented to Mrs. Dunigan on behalf of the Ladies' Christian Work Society. Mrs. Dunigan also received several other gifts. Before parting for their homes the guests were given a bountiful supply of refreshments.

WHO ARE HE.

No. 228 Undercliff of This City Has

With a Horse Worth Prosecuting

Who's Lady is a Queen So Says

Some.

At about midnight of Friday last, Mr. William Underhill of this city, while attending a small ball at a well-known fourteenth street, and walking in the illuminated grounds with a young lady he had just met for the first time, was shot by some unknown person.

Mr. Underhill is the cashier for Dunham & Co., the shipping merchants, of Beaver street, New York, and resides with his mother and sister on Third place. He is also the husband of the wife of Mr. J. W. Gaventt. Underhill is a popular young society man among the most select circles of Bergen Point and New York. Friday evening he accompanied some friends to Salt Beach, L. I., where a large ball was being given by the goods of "Kathleen Villa," an aristocratic hotel at that place. Underhill was introduced with hundreds of Chinese lanterns, and Underhill was promenading among them with a young lady he was taking to the ball. Suddenly, the couple were coming towards the house, when suddenly three shots were fired in quick succession. Underhill exclaimed, "I'm shot" and buried to the ground.

After being placed on a sofa, surgeons were summoned. The wound was dressed, but probing for the ball was delayed until the next day. The wound is in the abdomen, and is very near the groin. The physicians say that the wound is not necessarily fatal, but that it is serious; and great care will be required.

Mr. Underhill's mother was telegraphed for and left Plainfield, at once. She was passed by jealousy; and, in the opinion of any direct complication. This report at first, gained currency. However, it has been refuted by Underhill himself, who has manifested much to his physicians, and by his intimate friends.

Mr. Horton, manager of the Ville, says that the story is absurd; that he had been informed by the proprietors of the neighborhood of the house during the evening, and that he believed that some drunken rollies hit Underhill accidentally and the possibly not aware of the fact, as he heard the firing continued long after the accident occurred.

The shot, however, came from the direction of the house.

SUBURBAN SOJOURNERS.

Farewell Parties Who Have Departed

—Bicycles In a Heap.

There are certain families who pass the winter in town or down South, and who are not heard from during the summer. On the other hand, many whose lives run in a quiet groove, remain here during the cold weather; and for the Summer season. These last are leaving Farewell very rapidly. Mr. Julian Hawthorne and his family in *All the Summer* left for Bethlehem, Conn., last week; the house of Hall adds its quota to those of the departed; add thereto Mr. A. D. Shepard and the rest of the Shepards, and if it be said that the population of Farwood is very materially decreasing. Meanwhile, the people who stay behind, and if former experience can be to build on, have an opportunity before the Summer is over to indulge in at least one bread, superstition, and comprehensive picnic. As a matter of fact, Scotch Plains is, on the whole, just about as cool as the average Summer resort, excelling, of course, one-side watering place. With a mile of the Netherwood Road, it would seem that most of the natural advantages that operate to make that resort so popular are to be found in the village lying close at its side. Query: Do the natives of Newport and Bar Harbor go away for the Summer?

There is a story somewhere of an engine at full speed, pursued by another engine going at the same rate, which is in turn followed by a "special" whose engineer has lost control of the locomotive, something of the same sort occurred here last week, but on a much milder scale. Two of the youthful bicyclist, Mr. Howard Shepard and Evelyn Fancher, an amiable young lady, were engaged in discussion with his brothers of the waist, Messrs. Harry W. Hall and Edwin Fancher. An amiable controversy, it was, but the two youthful Sayre learned the amiable watch of his companion, and it was agreed that the debate should be settled by a bicycle race. Now, it so happened that Fancher and Hall with all the power they could bring to bear, the three wheelmen went on their way. Reaching the Bluebell church, right on into the village, when alas, an obstruction appeared ahead; the autoconstructor began to stop himself, went down on his hand, and another behind the other two were on top, and there was a confusion of small boy, bicycle, cape and [illegible] Wrongly enough no bones were broken.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERER.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield P. O. office for the week ending July 28, 1888.

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P. ADELBERT DUNHAM,
Postmaster.

Advertisement: LIVE AGENTS WANTED, [illegible] "MARVELS OF THE NEW WEST."

DEATHS.

ADAMS—On Sunday morning, July 22, Edwin Marshall, youngest son of William F. and Isabella M. Adams.

BURDICK—At Plainfield, N. J., on July 27, 1888, George E. Burdick, in the seventy-fifth year of his age.

DOBY—In this city, July 26, 1888 Marion Lee, infant son of Joseph and Jennie Doby, aged 7 months, 4 days.

HAMILTON—Suddenly, yesterday, at his residence, Mrs. Victoria J. Hamilton.

HANE—In Bartley, N. J., Sherlock, son of Richard Hane, formerly of this city, aged 2 yrs.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ATTENTION, DEMOCRATS!

The Democratic Association of the city of Plainfield will meet at the Democratic Headquarters, No. 20 West Front street, on FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 27, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as matters of importance will be considered.

JAMES E. MARTINE, Pres't.
LOUIS F. VANDERBEEK, Sec'y. 7-26-2

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New Jersey Breeders.

The Third Annual Meeting of the N. J. Association of

Trotting Horse Breeders,

will be held at

SOMERVILLE, N. J.,
Wednesday & Thursday
AUGUST 15 and 16, 1888.

The following is a list of the stakes:

FIRST DAY—No. 1—Stud Lynn Farm—Stakes for foals of 1887.

No. 2—Somerset Farm Stakes—For foals of 1886.

No. 3—Mount Pleasant Farm—Stakes for maiden horses which have never trotted.

No. 4—Members' Stakes—$25 each; free to all 2:30 horses.

SECOND DAY—No. 5—Pavilion Stud Farm—For foals of 1885.

No. 6—President's Stakes—For foals of 1887.

No. 7—Stakes for horses that have not beaten 2:30.

No. 8—Stakes for stallions that have not beaten 2:28.

The above classes will all trot third, and there will also be a free for all pace. The best programme of the kind will appear in the Horse Review of August 1st.

A. T. DARGUSAT, Pres. JOS. W. ALLAN, Sec'y, Box 1, Bound Brook, N. J.
HASBROUCK, Treas., E. S. HOWARD, Sec'y. 7-27-3

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

City of Plainfield.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by George F. Runyon, Esq., City Judge of the City of Plainfield, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in the City of Plainfield on the second Monday of August, A. D. 1888, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, all the following described real estate, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy the taxes and assessments hereinafter mentioned, as appear by the said warrant, to wit:

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Mrs. Dart's Triplets.

[illegible] Clearing Out Sale!

Balance of Spring Stock AT COST.

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20 pieces of Body Brussels, regular price per yard, $1 10, reduced to - - - - - 80c
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25 pieces of All-Wool Ingrain Carpet, regular price per yard 75c; will close out the balance per yard at - - 55c

WALNUT BEDROOM SUITS.

25 Walnut Bedroom Suits, 8 pieces, Marble Top, regular price, $67, to close out the balance I will sell them at $47 50.

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E. A. DEMAREST, - - City Editor.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

[Tables of mail arrivals and departures]

—On June 7, M. C. A. building.

—The Board Beach post-office will be made a money-order office on October 1.

—Parties can secure for the First Baptist excursion, as now on sale at Field & Sandford's.

—Delegates from all the Democratic clubs in the State have been called to meet in convention at Trenton on August 22 and 23.

—The Y. M. C. A. Gymnasts will play the "Manhattans," of this city, Saturday afternoon, and the latter may give the exhibition drill. Look for notices.

—It is to be hoped that if a station on the South Plainfield and Roselle railroad, is located at Dog Tavern, it will be called by some other name than that of the tavern.

—"The Endeavoring League" of Grace church will be in the chapel from 8 o'clock until 7 P. M., every Wednesday evening, to receive flowers for New York "Flower Mission."

—The bright dance in this city, has not yet been chronicled, and the movement which was started a few months ago, with visions of a ball, has not yet brought forth.

—Mr. Charles E. Rank, the coal dealer of this city, has received the contract to furnish the coal for the Union Hall, and some of it is already on the ground of the Highland Hall.

—The butterfly ball, given by Mr. George E. Ballard on Somerset street, on Eighth street, is the talk of the last cot. Some of the most beautiful and choice plants are kept to be seen.

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—A dispatch from Lawrence Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Rahway, visited Plainfield Lodge, No. 34, Monday evening. The visitors were cordially received, and spending with a collation fitted up for the occasion, a pleasant time was had by the brotherly present.

—The trustees of the First Presbyterian church at a meeting, Friday night, adopted and forwarded to the Presbytery of Jersey City, the call extended to the pastor, Rev. J. W. Faughnan, and decided to begin the work of tearing down the old church and building a new one at once.

—Four years ago the coming Fall a barbecue and carnival was held in the wigwam on Somerset street. The city was furnished by Mr. Alex. Hamilton, and the proceeds were given to the Home for Friendless Children. It is stated that Mr. Price will provide another on after the manner as all in next November.

—Next Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, the popular services conducted every year by Mr. Leonard Nason and Mr. Eugene Frazee will be held in the grove on Long Branch and Ocean Grove, extending out 7 o'clock in the evening. It is not necessary to say a word in praise or favor of this popular gathering, as the people in this city is thoroughly aware that no other steamer is to be compared to the safe and entire satisfaction.

—There were two Highland Plainfielders at the Wall Wall where, a few days ago. Messrs. M. Rogers and Benson Hedges, who left Plainfield in navigation in the middle of the month, and before the journey was completed, they visited they had reached to their satisfaction when the Pacific Ocean, and the noise from the surf was heard and sighted there.

Personal.

Miss Carrie Durell, the pianist, will spend her vacation at Binghamton, N. Y.

Mr. J. Rue Black of West Fourth street, is organizing his brass at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Guy W. Payne, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. A. S. Bedford, of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Durant, of West Fifth street, are at the Rockaway House, Rockaway Beach, L. I.

Miss Eddy Bradley, of Newark, is enjoying the cooling breezes of Asbury, and relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Marsh, of Madison avenue, have returned from their tour to Niagara Falls and Canada.

Mrs. Chappell of Manning avenue, is being favored with a visit from her aunt, Miss Alexander, Chief of Waverly, N. Y.

Miss Lizzie Jones is visiting relatives at Burlington, N. J.

Miss Minnie Force, of North avenue, is at Lake Hopatcong.

Mrs. S. A. Nason and Miss Potter, have gone to Atlantic City.

Miss Helen Bonnet of the Lafayette avenue, is spending a week at Asbury Park.

Mr. Wm. Stout of Germantown, is visiting at Mr. Wm. Deasbro's, in Washington Valley.

Miss Mabel Allerman has returned from a two weeks visit with friends at High Bridge, N. J.

The family of Mr. George D. Patten of Ninth street, left the 19th inst. to spend the summer at Harlan.

Mr. Frank Cooper, a resident of Central avenue, is confined to the house with an attack of quinsy sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bonnell of East Second street, are registered at the Seaside House, Long Branch.

Miss Ida and Hattie Sayre of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Squier of East Fifth street.

Mr. P. P. Vandebeek and family of East Second street, are residing in the vicinity of Plainfield, "Somerset County."

Mrs. William Howard, and her two sons, Charles and Albert, of New York, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mortimer, Long Island, for the summer.

Miss Gracie Howard of Front place and Ninth street, left the city, 18th inst., to spend the summer at the seashore and in the mountains.

Mr. Ernest O. Chamberlin of the New York Sun, and Mrs. Chamberlin, have begun visiting the former's parents on Madison avenue.

William H. Decker arrived home in Plainfield on the 7:20 train, Saturday afternoon, after his enjoyable and rejuvenating trip to Europe.

Miss Lizzie Bennett S. Swain and daughter of Rodney street, East Brooklyn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deakin of East Second street.

Mr. Charles E. Bedford, of Central avenue, has been visiting her friend Parmelia at Perth Amboy, N. J., for the past two months, returned Friday last.

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A Newark journal says that "Chas. Chinnock, one of whom is a citizen and two have declared their intention to become such, at Plainfield, are prevented from voting this year by the new law."

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The Testimony of Eugene Day — Man was Murdered With a Hammer — Who Was the Murderer? — The Mysterious Man a Stranger in Plainfield — Testimony and Some of Edward L. Miller.

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The Press stated on Wednesday that it could then give the names of one who probably had some guilty knowledge of the Westfield mystery. It was not then polite, nor is it now, to make public a great deal that is known by the men, nor to disclose the theories the detectives are working on or the suppositions that are being offered.

But the man referred to in those columns of Wednesday, is Fred Baldwin. Last night he told a Press reporter that Chief Keron had accused him of being the murderer. "But," he continued, "I swear to God I ain't!"

All evidence connecting Baldwin with the murder is entirely circumstantial, and so far as known, purely circumstantial. When Miller was discharged from Lawrence's, June 23, he left a well-packed valise at the home of Mr. Bergen, on Baldwin. Miller told McDonald, with whom he slept in the Lawrence barn, the night of June 23, that he had left the satchel there.

Besides this, the satchel was seen in the Trask barn as late as July 5. Baldwin was also seen in the Trask barn on his cow, drives his horse and sleeps there. At first he is said to have denied that he ever saw the satchel. Now he confesses to the fact, but cannot account for its disappearance.

By reference again to the map in these columns of Monday, showing the road between Westfield and Scotch Plains, it will be seen that the Trask house is just in front of the woods where the remains were found. Baldwin's house is also in front of the woods, but at the spot a few rods above. It is said that a person standing at one point where he cut down a small tree, can see the house where Baldwin lives. Baldwin had no need of going so far into the woods, yet he worked about the spot in spite of the stench which must have been terrible.

Last Sunday when the remains were discovered by Messrs. Wm. Dallas and Chet. Smith, they at once came to town quietly and reported to Chief Miller. No one else was told, excepting that Mr. Smith mentioned it at home in the presence of a servant. She is supposed to have told a friend, who told a friend somewhere immediately, because it was not many minutes before Baldwin came to the store of Mr. Shields, and crossing to the side the gate for the first time, hung around until County Physician Westcott arrived and then Baldwin went up to the woods with them while they examined the body.

Some think the spot must have had a sweet fascination for Baldwin. He returned to it after the inquest session, got back with Dr. Westcott, and Messrs. Marsh, Dallas and Smith, on Sunday afternoon, and he was the last to go from the woods. Baldwin's actions are said to be an unpleasant odor about the place, and he says he told his wife that he guessed there was a dead horse or dog there. But he "swears" he never saw the remains.

Would not a guilty man, or one with guilty knowledge of a crime, have enough of its evidence—buried deep its remains, long before? Every opportunity to conceal the body, and time to do it carefully, are conceded by the murderer. Dr. Westcott even a pond near by large enough to sink it in out of sight forever. Could the murderer have slept in the neighborhood, with the memory of his victim's body lying above the ground, with its upturned face and wide-opened eyes?

The last time Miller was seen alive, so far as known, was on Orchard street between four and five o'clock of Sunday afternoon, June 24. He was then going toward the Trask barn where it is supposed Baldwin was at work over his evening "chores." Miller probably that intended to get his satchel and leave town. As he never been since, his murder must have occurred within a short time after.

Baldwin is a German, quite well-to-do in appearance. He has owned money and owns a house on Orchard street, where his family live. He is a small man, and his wife is four or five inches taller. Some of Baldwin's friends say he is hen-pecked, and that all the courage was driven out of him long ago by his wife. Miller and he were about the same height, but the former only weighed 130 pounds, and was dyspeptic and physically weak, while Baldwin is quite strong and wiry.

What little money Miller is known to have had, would be no temptation to one comfortably settled in life. But then there is no proof how much he really did have. Mrs. Lawrence had paid him in all $51, and the man was never known to spend a cent for anything. He did not smoke, chew or drink.

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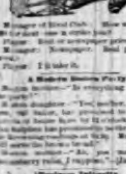

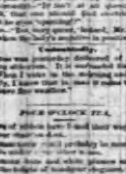

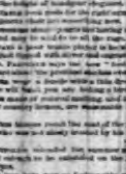

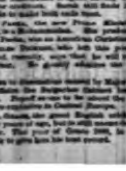

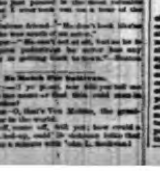

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FACTS.

What American workmen want is steady work and plenty of it.

Plenty of work means good wages.

It is only when work is slack that wages are low.

When work abounds, and the employer has to go in search of the workman, wages rise.

How does the Republican war tariff affect work?

Its tendency is, and always must be, to curtail it.

It levies nearly prohibitory duties on raw materials used in manufactures.

It not only raises wool, for instance, but it imposes heavy taxes on dye stuffs, machinery and other articles which are used in converting raw wool into cloth.

The consequence is we cannot make woollen cloths which are needed for economy, and are forced to import annually forty-four millions dollars worth from abroad.

If wool and the other articles used in woollen factories were admitted free, these 44,000,000 worth of woollen goods would be made at home, and there would be so much more American labor needed to make them.

PANTHAN DIVERSITY.

The Republican party appears to be afflicted with a wide diversity of sentiment.

Some leaders are the hard-working on the wall and are trying hard to fish it away.

The Wheeling Intelligencer, the leading Republican paper of West Virginia, declares that "the free-whiskey plank is in the Republican platform and cannot be left out of it."

The Concord, New Hampshire, Monitor, a straight Republican journal, asserts that whoever pays the 30¢ cents for three quarters free-whiskey "sells a fine family lot."

There you have it.

Speaker of the same political persuasion stood at each apart as the antipodes.

Then again, Bob Ingersoll, the great Republican party orator, is making for the Chicago platform and—I don't believe that if Gen. Sherman were living, and the banks had swept, and all the fans opened with mind, and all the leaders grew tow-pates and baldies, there would be more drunkenness than there is now."

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No, Messrs. Republican leaders, not quite the soft-ness.

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That by removing the free list of crude materials, it will enable our factories to increase manufacturing enterprises, and thereby the additional employment of labor, as well as benefiting trade and commerce.

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A Democratic campaign run on a free-whiskey platform is to exact accord with the eternal fitness of things.—*St. Louis Republic.*

The Central Labor Union of Indianapolis has every opportunity to know what kind of a friend to labor Mr. Harrison is, and it declares positively that it wants none of him. A completely candidate on a monopoly platform is a pretty hard dose for a workingmen to swallow.—*Pittsburg Post.*

It is very much to the credit of Mr. Levi P. Morton, that when he was in Congress he voted to put coal, pig iron and printing paper on the free list. It must rank his pluto a little to have to stand on a narrow protection platform and repudiate his own record and better judgment.—*Philadelphia Record.*

Presidential Succession.

1	1. Vice-President.
2	2. President pro tempore of the Senate.
3	3. Secretary of State.
4	4. Secretary of the Treasury.
5	5. Secretary of War.
6	6. Attorney-General.
7	7. Postmaster-General.
8	8. Secretary of the Navy.
9	9. Secretary of the Interior.

Trotting at Somerville.

The State Association of Trotting Horse Breeders will hold a meeting on the Fair grounds at Somerville, on Aug. 15 and 16. There will be four races each day. The \$250 stall classes are all filled and there will not be a single walk-over. The best trotting property of the State will appear in the lists.

Death of Mrs. Isabella Smith.

Mrs. Margaret Rose, widow of the late Isaiah Rose of New Market, died at the residence of Mrs. John P. Smith, a daughter, with whom she was stopping, at Newtown, aged 74 years and 6 months. The deceased had been visiting her daughter for a few weeks past. About three weeks ago she was taken ill and from that time gradually grew worse, until the above day, when she died as above stated. Mrs. Rose was in the 76th year of her age, and leaves four sisters to children. Mrs. Dr. J. H. Titsworth, of Plainfield, is one of them. The deceased's husband died in December last.

To Prevent Fire on Fire Island.

Two gentlemen, capitalists from Bergen Heights, came to Plainfield Tuesday and entered into negotiations with the contractors and others holding claims against the property on Fire Island, upon which the erection of a row of brick buildings was begun two years ago, with a view to assume the responsibility of the claims and to protect the buildings from fire. The work was discontinued several months ago, on account of an unlicensed mortgage on the property.

The gentlemen met and agreed to accept the proposition offered them and the work of erecting the buildings will now proceed. The two gentlemen left again visit Plainfield on Friday, to complete their arrangements.

Thieves Rob an Ice Plant.

About four o'clock of Friday afternoon a horse recently purchased by Mr. J. T. Vail, ran away on North avenue and was stopped by Mr. Vail and Mr. Lee.

The lady was driving up and down the street near the station, when the animal took fright at the sudden plunging of a train of cars, and started off on a run. Mr. Vail, who was walking, and the horse kept on a run, and all the time opened with mind, and all the leaders grew tow-pates and baldies, there would be more drunkenness than there is now."

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A Serious Fall.

George Moore of North Plainfield, a carpenter in the employ of Joseph Odell, fell off the roof of a house on Sixth street, between Broadway and Washington street, Friday afternoon. He struck on the head. The fall was about thirty feet, and the ground where he landed was covered with broken brick and slate.

Mr. George Hance Very Ill.

Although the other members of the Plainfield Rowing Club have been having the past races all to themselves, yet they have always felt sure that whenever Mr. George Hance, who is a veteran in the sport, should get back his old wind rap he would be heard from and glory.

Such is at last the result. Tuesday July 31, at 6 P. M. when the shots were let off. The sky was as clear as a bell, and the wind was with the birds. Next came on the start was effected, Mr. Sanderson "Independence," who was started in the race, arrived home, tired out but victorious.

Trotting on Saturday.

There were several handsome turnouts on the trotting grounds of speed on the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association, on Saturday afternoon, and there was a large attendance of sporting men present.

Three came two single mile heats between John Osborn's "Dry Dock," and Mr. Lelandt's "Gray Wak." The heats were closely contested, but the horse of the other trots, the deciding heat was omitted. "Dry Dock," won the first heat in 2.42, and "Gray Wak" the second in 2.45.

The concluding race was the most exciting of the programme. It was between "Harry Mills," Mr. Mount Mount well-known trotter, which trotted at Waverly in 2.24, in a team race, but owned, distancing all comers; and Mr. Sanderson's brown pacer. By skillfully handling the reins "Harry Mills" walked out, and the pacer came in ahead. Time, 2.32.

HIS NAME IS DENNIS.

Ned Dennis, a coal black negro, who claims to have come from "Morden," Somerset county, entered the residence of Mr. James Smith on Elmwood place, Plainfield, on Friday last. He entered through a cellar window, and made his way to the sleeping apartments of Mr. Smith's aunt, whom he was surprised to find the only occupant of the house. Mr. Smith jumped up and gave chaser, but the negro escaped through a window.

Ned, or Mose Leland as he was in the neighborhood at the time, and some of the neighbors followed the robber and overtook him near the Potter Press Works. A desperate struggle ensued, in which the prisoner was placed in a wagon, and driven through Front street on the way to the lockup. At the corner of Front and Somerset streets, the negro made a spring, jumping from the wagon. Mr. Leland and others followed him, and caught him as he was footing Green Brook in the rear of the Potter Press Works. He escaped and ran into the water, but he was finally captured and turned over to Chief Carey.

The prisoner had in his possession, a ring, two studs, a collar button and two ladies breastpins, supposed to have been stolen. He stated that he was looking for Ned. When taken before Justice Nash, he pleaded guilty, and committed to County Jail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

SUDDEN DEATH AT BUTZLER.

Fred Wolford, aged 17 years, the youngest son of Mr. J. H. Wolford, cashier of the Wolford Express Co., of Jersey in New York, went to Boynton Beach Saturday with the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church, and while there was taken sick. After suffering for some time, Office Flanagan discovered the white youth doubled up in one corner of a car. After searching for some time, Officer

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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

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Personals.

Miss Maude Wallace of Trenton, is the guest of Mrs. S. A. Wallace of West Fifth.

Mr. Rowland Dun and family will go to Long Lake, N. Y., for the rest of the season.

Miss Edna Potter, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Miss Angie Potter, of North Plainfield.

Miss Ella Beatty, of Newark, is visiting Miss Louise Force of Somerset Avenue, North Plainfield.

Mrs. Ellen Kidder's family have gone to their ex-homestead country seat at Bear-foot, Delaware county, N. Y.

Mr. H. M. Goldgar of Second place has joined his wife who is boarding at Cromwell Cottage, Block Island.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Silliman of this city are registered at the Eagle House, Jackson, N. H.

Mr. Fred Thomas Thomas H. Keller of No. 9 English Colonies, who returned from a ten day's business trip through the East.

Mrs. Wm. S. Osborn, of Ninth street, has gone to Muskegon, where she will visit her son Mr. Walter J. Freeman, for a few weeks.

Mrs. S. R. Force and children have returned from Philadelphia, after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in that city.

Mr. J. Harry Milligan, of West Fourth street, has gone for a month's visit with relatives at Flanders and Schooley's Mountains.

Mr. Roger Murray of Central avenue and Eighth street, is at Asbury Park.

Messrs. Walter and James Murray are at Lonoconk, N. Y.

Mrs. Joseph Sweney of Philadelphia, accompanied by her daughter, are visiting the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dedeke, on Front street at Rockwell.

Miss Nellie Van Winkle of North Plainfield, and Miss Mabel Force of North avenue, this city, are at home again, after an enjoyable visit with friends at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Samuel L. Dalliner, of Madison avenue and Ninth street, has presented the public library with a number of valuable books—an example set by a number of our women, that the many others, who might well follow.

Miss Hattie Force of Clinton street, Trenton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard at 76 Nor street. Miss Kenyon is a student in the Trenton High School, and Mr. Sheppard is a missionary person.

Mrs. Jacob W. Schenck, of New Brunswick—widow of the eldest brother of the late Gen. Robert C. Schenck—is entertained by her daughter Florence, in a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Tunnell of North street and Broadway.

The second game between Mr. John W. Murray's German American Insurance company and the Riverside Athletic club, Mr. H. V. Sherer, of this city, played in the latter's grounds, Newark, which was won by a score of 13 to 11.

Mr. Benj. H. Drake and wife are staying at Mrs. J. V. Criswell's, East Sixth street, for the time being. Mr. Drake is the proper owner of Chester Drake of the "Cherokee," and one of the most expert engravers of the country.

A dramatic reading, under the auspices of the First Presbyterian Church Library Society, will be held in the Friends' meeting house on Peace street, on Tuesday afternoon next. Mr. Joseph A. Regester of New York city, will be present and address the meeting.

Secretary John R. Manning of the Y. M. C. A., has returned from his vacation, looking well, feeling well, looking forward, and with plenty of energy to spare for the coming Winter work of the Association. Secretary Manning has widened the field and increased the influence.

Mr. Ernest R. Ackerman of this city, has something to say against a reduction of tariff on cement; and as he is of a family that has been engaged in the business for years, and has made millions by its "tendency" in present, his regret that future profits will be restricted, will not be shared by the consumer.

A. D. Mellick, Jr., of this city, read by request before the New Jersey Historical Society, at Trenton, Dec. 24, a paper on "Philip Kearny in New Jersey; and a Story of Their Fame." It has been published in pamphlet form—a most interesting collection, showing the authority of Mr. Mellick's pen and the energies of a devout pen.

The handsome residence described in these columns, that is to be donated for Centenary Wesleyan College, by Mr. Cornelius Whitehead, and which property he has recently purchased, will be in the fleetingest possible style from the finest original plans by Architect R. Fuller Raymond. It will be ready for the occupancy from anything in this section of the State.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Hoag, pastor and wife of the Methodist Episcopal church, have exiles from a retreat, 9,000 feet above sea level, and with fires burning on the fourth of July, and sleeping Mr. Hoag under a pile of blankets, by the end of the month of August they expect to be preserving in health. They will leave for Longmont, Col., next, where they expect to make a long stay.

President F. E. Beard of the Commercial Bank, and wife, are home again, and happy again over the second advent of a boy. The younger one only arrived last week, but he has already made himself quite at home in the house.

Mr. Frank Putnam, one of the competent clerks in Mr. Seely Edsall's store, left Monday for a week's stenanza at Middletown, N. Y., after which he will spend a week at Norwich, Conn.

Miss Anna Buckley of West Fourth street, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mary Murphy of New York, left on Wednesday for a six weeks' trip to Miss Buckley's home in the Catskills.

The Misses Demarest of Fifth street, will spend the month of August at Bemplon Beach, L. I., the guests of their sister, Mrs. C. E. Dunn, wife of the pastor of the First Presbyterian church of New York.

Miss Bessie Stagg, the efficient operator at the Dunellen telephone exchange of the C. & A., was the guest of the Misses Martin of Somerset street, North Plainfield, during Saturday evening, returning home next day.

Mr. S. B. Ryder returned on Saturday last from a few days visit at Westport, Conn. While there he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Rafferty, and ex-sheriff Jones.

Mr. Geo. Reid of West Second street, left this city Tuesday to spend a few days at Hartford, Conn. From there Mr. Reid will go to West Virginia where he will spend a lucrative position with a New York firm.

Mr. John McGuire and Miss Nellie Barnard, both of South Plainfield were married on Tuesday last by Father Canfield, at St. Francis church, Metuchen, last week. A reception followed at the residence of the groom.

Mr. Carmen Perse and wife, Miss Mary Cheeseman, of Chase, Lee, leave Saturday morning for the Catskills. This is the first time in five years that this party has gone there. Last year they went to Lake George and had fourteen guests to partake in the Adirondacks.

Miss Kate Kimball, Secretary, with Miss Ida Applebach, Miss Emma Bodine and Mr. Walter Chamberlain, of the C. I. S. C. staff, left Wednesday for the Summer Assembly at Chautauqua. Miss Kimball will remain there, while the others go in charge of Miss Annie Dell.

The Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck left Monday for Asbury Park—the beginning of a month's leave of absence—the latter of a family bereavement. Mr. Schenck has been very regular in his attendance at the church services during the past year, and his congregation will be glad to welcome him back again during the week of the wedding trip, and donate the rest. Mr. and Mrs. Schenck will remain at Asbury Park until Aug. 15, when they will go to Lake George, where they will remain, and will then go to the metropolis of New York, there for the remainder of August.

—Margaret E. McLaughlin recently transferred to Newton Hamden, property in North Plainfield. The consideration was $1,000.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING.

The Democrats of This City Turn Out in Large Numbers and Listen to an Able Address by Mr. Joseph H. Maxwell—A Rousing Campaign Club to be Organized.

The Democrats of this city have not been asleep while the Republicans have been holding public demonstrations. Moreover they have been quietly taking out their guns for a general shooting match on the Fall campaign. Neither have they paraded the streets with brass band attachment, attracting an audience of voters and baby carriages, as was the case in North Plainfield on Thursday evening of last week, when Major Force, been tried to pull the protective boot over the eyes of his hearers.

Friday evening the Democratic voters turned out in large numbers, in answer to a call published in THE PRESS. The meeting was held in the Democratic Association rooms on East Front street, and when the hour for beginning arrived, the spacious hall was densely filled with people.

Mr. James E. Martine, President of the Democratic Executive Committee, called the meeting to order, and stated the object. He said among other things that the Democratic party was on the eve of a great contest, and would be compelled to battle with an unscrupulous and unprincipled foe—a party which held the purse strings of innumerable wealth. The Democratic party, he said, was the party of poor people, whose interests should first be considered. Through President Cleveland's energies the question of tariff is to-day agitating the minds of the people. The Democratic party does not pursue a policy that would cheapen the products of labor, but would relieve the Republicans ridiculed and assailed the Democratic party as being made up of rough saults, and today they call them the cheapest and best in the country.

The speaker said he had no doubt as to the result of the coming election, if the voters were cast and fairly counted. Another important point to be considered is the tariff—one which all do not understand. It means a tax on your clothing, your food, and the luxuries of the heroes of free trade; four years ago the Republicans pledged themselves to correct the inequalities of the tariff. Chester A. Arthur, President of the United States, should be admitted free, and such were Garfield's views. The Democratic party proposes no policy of free trade. We mean that your burden shall be lightened —*the cost of erecting houses shall be less*, your clothing cheaper—and as a result your condition in life will be one of greater blessing, and permitted to purchase more of this World's good. Is not this clear and simple justice? Wages are regulated by the cost of living. When the cost of houses are after one man, then the wages are high; when two men are after one house then the rents are low.

[Continuing his remarks Mr. Martine said iron, coal and steel are closely protected, and yet there is no place in the union where the labor agitation is so small as in those localities where these articles are produced. One iron producer in Pennsylvania realizes about $2,500 a day, yet he disapproves of the tariff bill. Mr. Carnegie's income is also daily income but a few hundred dollars.

Here the speaker stated that Mr. A. Vaughn Dyer, of the firm of VanDyer & Dyer, of Rahway, manufacturers of this city, had told him that the event of putting wool on the free list would facilitate his business and increase the demand consequently he could give employment to more hands.

Some people are inclined to believe that the passage of the Mills bill would have a tendency to decrease the number of factory manufacturing industries, and one firm in Trenton has already given notice to its employees of a proposed decrease in wages." This is only compared with a general in the army who gathered the troops and told them in advance until they could see the whites in the enemy's eyes, then pull the trigger and blaze away, then turn and run like thunder; I'm a little more cautious than I'll run now.

The only salvation of the Democratic party is to act out its own honest convictions; the Republicans are at war with themselves.

At this point in the proceedings a gentleman who said that he was connected with the Worcester Manufacturing Co., Worcester, Mass., a firm consuming 50,000 pounds of wool a week, begged to differ with Mr. VanDeventer. He said that they, the firm which he was in the employ of, the Mills bill, all the other carpet manufacturing firms disapproved of its passage. He declared himself in favor of free wool, if the duty on manufactured goods was continued. The speaker was declared out of order, and notwithstanding the fact that he was repeatedly assured by the chair that he would be allowed to argue the question, until the President sat down upon him. "This is a Democratic meeting, sir," said he, "and we can fully afford to gag. While these lights are on time to burn you shall be permitted to be heard, and protected in that which is right. The carpet manufacturers, he said had grown fat; we are willing that you should be protected in fatness but we are going to curtail a little bit of your profits, so that you shall not grow rich in two or three years. He spoke at length and was frequently applauded.

Mr. Watson moved to proceed with the regular order of business, and Judge L. F. Wadsworth made a motion that the chair appoint a committee to organize a Democratic club. The following were appointed: Messrs. G. W. Watson, Daniel McCarthy, Joseph F. Shepherd and Vincent L. Frazee. The chair then announced the following list of officers:

Executive—Messrs. Joseph W. Yates, Rowland M. Stover, Tell A. Bogardus, Daniel McCarthy, Simeon D. Moffett, Thomas L. Johnson, John Rafferty, and ex-officio the officers of the association, Messrs. Jas. E. Martine, President; G. W. Watson, Secretary, and Joseph F. Shepherd, Treasurer.

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Finance Committee—Messrs. G. W. Watson, J. W. Yates, James Clark.

Committee on Naturalization—Messrs. Simeon D. Moffett, Peter Flynn, Jr., Solomon Flaig, V. L. Frazee.

Printing—Messrs. L. M. Stover, Emil Dreyer, Charles R. Van Winkle.

Committee on Public Meetings—Messrs. R. M. Stover, Edw. F. Thorn, Walter L. Hatfield.

Canvassing Committee—Messrs. L. F. Wadsworth, Rowland Morris, Augustus Saltzman, Jos. F. Shepherd.

Upon motion adopted, it was decided that three of the voters present who were entitled to become members of the club should sign the roll, and nearly one hundred persons responded.

The President announced that it was announced that two delegates be elected to represent the association at the State Convention, and Messrs. G. Warren Watson and Tell A. Bogardis were elected as such.

The President also read a letter from Senator McPherson, stating that business matters would prevent his being able to be present at the meeting on Monday, he could not definitely decide upon a date upon which he would visit Plainfield. He stated that he considered it his duty to be with the faithful and promised to visit Plainfield later in the campaign. Mr. Martine announced that a meeting would be held in the near future, after which the meeting adjourned.

—There will be no encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in New Jersey this year. The Council of Administration, at the annual meeting recently, postponed the matter indefinitely.

SLOW BUT SURE.

THE CLOTHS THROWN AROUND THE WESTFIELD MURDER MYSTERY.

(From "The Press" of July 30.)

The inquiry into the death of the murdered man found in the woods at Westfield, on Sunday, July 15, was continued at the Town Rooms at that place, before Coroner Miller and a jury, yesterday afternoon. The evidence brought out slowly but surely links the chain of circumstantial evidence, which is fastening itself around Frederick Baldwin and another man, both of whom are thought to have been directly implicated in the deed, or to know something about it. Assistant Prosecutor Swift of Elizabeth conducted the examination.

As usual the rooms were filled with a crowd of curiosity seekers, most of whom were obliged to remain standing through out the session.

At 2:25 P. M., Coroner Miller called the roll, each of the eleven jurors responding to his name.

The first witness was William Dallas, recalled. He testified to seeing a wad of pulpy paper taken from the left hand trouser pocket, and also the arrangement of the clothing. The victim he said, wore drawers, and the shirt was not disarranged. The suspenders were buttoned at both ends. The coat was of blue serge and evidently of good quality. The vest found, except where the decomposed matter had come in contact with it.

Dr. William S. Welsh, a physician, was next called, and testified to finding the victim's hat on Thursday, the 19th inst. He was in company with Detectives Keron and Workingman. The hat was found in a southeast from the body, in a direct line with Trask's barn. The hat was water soaked, and had evidently lain there for some days. He found the hat with the lining rip up, and a quantity of leaves under it were bright and dry. The leaves around it were wet. Witness said he first showed the hat to Mrs. Lawrence, who was in doubt whether Miller wore a straw hat or not. She, however, was positive that he wore a light hat. The hat was also shown to the two hired girls, and one of them, Nellie Connors, remarked: "That's Miller's hat." Witness was within five or six feet of the hat when he discovered it. It could not have blown to the spot where it was found, as the leaves and trees would have prevented it.

Nellie Connors, a prepossessing brunette, *dressed in black, neat* took the stand. She testified substantially as follows: Have lived at Mr. Lawrence's since February. Two men, Edward Miller and Patrick Cronin were employed on the place. Miller came after I engaged to Mrs. Lawrence. Miller wore a straw hat and blue suit. Witness said she recognized the hat by the peculiar brim. It had faded, and was not new.

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Miller left no clothing; the valise locked with a key, but the witness stated that she never saw the key. The valise was about as large as about two feet long, black, and not very expensive. A satchel was produced, but the witness failed to recognize it. She also identified the pencil handled pocket knife found with the body, and identified the one shown her by Chief Keron. She was of the opinion that Miller had false teeth, because he would sometimes wore a white one, and at other times wore a white shirt with pink stripes, and collar to match. Saw Miller on the 15th inst. Mrs. Lawrence was in the habit of sending Miller to Westfield. Saw him that evening standing in front of Pierson's store. When Mrs. Lawrence paid Miller for his work he said he discharged Trask's barn; he was carrying a valise which he brought to the place with him and usually kept it in his room. Mrs. Lawrence paid him $26.

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Miller had no visitors; he was in the habit of talking to Baldwin, and on several occasions the latter came over to Mrs. Lawrence's. On Sunday Miller usually went to church or out for a walk. The last time witness talking to Baldwin was in Trask's barn. Miller was quiet in his manner, although at one time when witnesses said, she had a quarrel with him about some pigeons. He objected to having her order him around.

Mary Augusta Miller, a sister of the victim, was next led to the witness stand, and several times while she was testifying broke down completely. Her testimony was unimportant. Miss Miller stated that she lived with an adopted aunt between Old Bridge and South River; her self and brother were the only children. Never knew of her brother's habits, because it but one living sister; Edward L. was the only brother; she saw her brother last on Sunday, June 3, when he visited Abraham L. Perrine's home in Old Bridge until six or seven o'clock in the evening. He came over the night before from Westfield; he was on foot. Edward left about 9 o'clock that night with a dark hand; he left with same clothing on. After leaving the house, Miller went to Sayreville, about 1½ miles distant, evidently to get some clothing from Peter VanDeventer, who reared him and brought him up to look on as his father. Miller never saw him after leaving Perrine's house. Edward was a carpenter by trade. He had a white shirt with a red stripe; he had one tube tooth on the left side in front; he had light hair also, slightly receding; had moustache, just started; was 26 years of age, last fall. Witness stated that Miller was three years her senior. She had not visited her brother in February or March last; he made his home at Van Deventer's, and had a trunk there; he had a gold watch, but no chain; the watch was given him about two years ago, but was subsequently returned. Her brother, she said, worked at the Summer time and boarded for the winter. Edward's residence in Sayreville during the Winter months. At this point in the proceedings, Miss Miller was shown some of her brother's clothing, which she identified. It was in the shape of a letter written to a Mrs. Cross on April 26th, 1877, and stated that the writer had been paid and had taken his clothes from Van Deventer's. The paper was signed "Edward Miller."

Mrs. Orville C. Lawrence was the next witness called. She described the interior of her residence and told of her engaging Miller at an interview with him in New York city. Miller, she said, had told her that he was from Sayreville, Middlesex county, New Brunswick. He was very reticent about himself, and she never questioned him. Miller said he had been employed by Mr. Van Deventer, and that he had been working for him. He said he had

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THE VOICE OF LABOR.

Hon. Henry Smith, of Wisconsin, the only Representative in the present Congress who was elected as a distinct Labor candidate. He is himself a wage-worker, and practically acquainted with the best interests of that large and important class of American citizenship. Congressman Smith voted for the Democratic tariff bill, and in a letter addressed to the New York *Star* gives his reasons therefor in a clear, forcible and unmistakable manner, that we could not improve upon if we could, and which we cannot do better than by publishing its commendatory advice soliciting for it candid and general perusal. It is as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, July 26.

To the Editor of the Star:

SIR—In reply to yours of the 20th instant, propounding my reasons for voting for the Mills Tariff Bill, I answer as follows:

First—It is conceded by the representatives of the Democratic and Republican parties alike that the present high tariff is a burden of money in the National Treasury is brought with danger to the business interests of the country by withdrawing from circulation the money which is thus collected. Should the Government, by reason of which, if not stopped, will cause a panic and result in bankruptcy to a large extent. Being honestly convinced of this fact, I thought that money should be in circulation among the people and not in the Treasury, and that money in both the cases should be taken from the people. I thought it to be the duty of the Democratic party to reduce the taxes to the consumer; that by taking the taxes from the manufacturer will supply the home and foreign market in preference to the home market only; and as Mills's bill would do more than any measure to stop this drain, and lay the foundation for a healthy growth of our industries, I voted for it.

Second—The bill proposes to place on the free list the articles of consumption, which, if not actively on the list, such as lumber, coal, salt, tin, wool and several others, with a slight reduction, and amounting on an average five per cent., on articles now having to pay a duty of forty per cent. Now, as far as free and cheap lumber is concerned, it looks next to bread to the laboring man, and as to coal, salt, tin, wool, woolen goods, and no doubt it will do more in the East, Salt—that heavily on fat ox or salmon—why not that? The bill proposes to reduce the duty on these articles so largely that they cheaply enough to encourage the products of our country. Of wool, we do not produce enough to supply the demand, and the duty on the woolen goods manufactured by the woolen manufacturers, who, by combination, compel the people to pay for foreign wool, which is taxed at 10 cents per pound, when by permitting wool to come in free that the woolen mill would be encouraged to use one of them fell.

The opinion was justified by the event. Now the wool is coming in and not known, but it is a fact that the woolen mills in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut are running full time, and have largely increased their force of employees, and have increased the wages to a considerable extent. Many persons who were employed in a manufactory, but on the outskirts, I had the tendency to raise the wages.

Third—I do not believe that a nation can be made prosperous or happy by law alone, nor should a republican form of government like ours exercise the power to take the money of one class and give it to another class, or to exercise the power conferred for an economical administration of public affairs. Again, a large surplus in the Treasury is a temptation to extravagance and increases a factor of dangerous corruption in many ways. It is the duty of the Government, it seems the speedy, until the whole people, without a single exception, or whatever kind or nature, can live upon the products of labor, for the reason that the products of labor, as the existence of civilized man depends upon the products of the soil, it is the duty of the Government to encourage agriculture in preference to any other industry that has competed the wage earner, and for the farmer to organize in order to protect himself against the encroachments of capital, and combinations, and trusts.

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—The sidewalk on the Boulevard was laid on Monday, by four separate builds.

—The baby-fair have put in an appearance, and according to the old saying, his stay will shape before frost.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., is most prosperous. Its Treasurer deposited $1,300 at the bank on the evening of Saturday.

—Manager and Postal Officer Miller of the District Messenger office, was Tuesday evening defeated by Chief Carey in a public test of their skill.

—Tell your correspondents to hereafter address their communications to your home or store number. It will save considerable trouble to the Postmaster.

—When No. 2 Engine passed under the Park avenue railroad bridge, while on the way to the fire on Saturday evening, the water was so low in the runoffset, that it run into the coolers.

—Looking for bread and receiving a stone. Asking for fish, and receiving for answer a scorpion. Asking for the cheapest food and cheaper clothing, and what do the Republicans offer? Cheaper whisky and cheaper tobacco.

—The concert for the benefit of the Mary's T. A. B. Association at the T. A. B. Association Hall last week, was largely attended and was a most enjoyable affair. Nothing like the programme before, and was indulged in until a late hour.

—The property owners on East Sixth street, between Washington and Franklin streets, are petitioning the Board of Common Council and Street Improvement for the erection of a board fence on the north side of said street. The present condition in which he has put the road bed at that point. The improvement is much needed.

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—Rev. Dr. Hodges and Prof. Pennington will take a bath together at Ocean Grove on Wednesday, 22d inst. We refer to the reputation of the First Presbyterian, Trinity Reformed and Park Avenue Baptist churches of this city and that of the Presbyterian church of Bremen, on the above date. Two ministers who in some early to country life and associated with the people, will next expect a full day's enjoyment. See their announcement in another column.

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The Fallen Brook held a meeting Monday evening after the adjournment of the Common Council, and appointed a special committee to push the matter of securing the lower end of the City Park between the rivers, with power to accept all liberality offered.

This action was taken in view of the complete of residents in the vicinity. The appointments announced by Mr. Clowe, are of regular officer Clowe.

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The Press of August 1, ventilated the crooked transactions of a Plainfielder while "proprietor" of a Summer boarding house at Point Pleasant, and alluded to the "happy" Republican service who took hold in this church in the afternoon. Mr. W. J. Leonard of this city will offer explanations.

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Ex-Mayor John H. VanWinkle, with his wife and son, John H., Jr., of the Borough, are registered at the Grand Avenue Hotel, Asbury Park.

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Mr. Geo. W. Perry an old and esteemed resident of this city, died at his home on East Second street, on Sunday. The deceased had been ailing for some time past.

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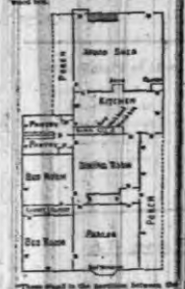

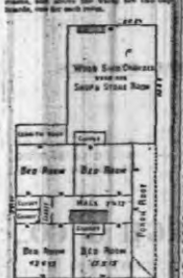

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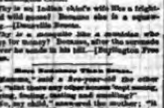

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WILLIAM M. STOCKWELL, Executor.

ATLANTA, GA., MAY 29, 1888.

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His heart was clamping at the sight
Of her.
Then in his ears with love's bright
And fixed his hands with glorious
Diamond ring.

In orange bloom on they saw the light,
Of lamps that shone with splendor
And bright;
But what to every moonlight
Seems
No moth compared it to not alone
With gems.

"Beware the pain, the old man said,
"The ache, the pang, the dismal
shead."
He muttered boldly, "Never fear,
For dark is night when she is near
My heart."

"Oh, stay," the maiden said; "inside
"The parlor door don't open wide."
He spoke not a word; but into salon
Were to his entrance whispered low
"Welcome."

He sat him down beside his love,
And spooned until pape above
Grew weary, and a boy chased
Three rats in parlor, anxious dread
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Never before in the political history of this country was the much vexed question of the tariff so thoroughly and earnestly discussed and investigated by the people as at the present time.

It is well, and we hope that the agitation will not cease until every false claim, and they number many, is brought forth and exposed to the unerring glare of truth.

That the Democratic party fosters and would be done. Truth and only truth is its aim.

Among the various objections urged by the war-taxation monopolists is this—that higher the rate of duties on foreign importations higher the rate of home wages.

Indeed!

Then why, in the name of common sense and honesty, is it that in China, the highest protected country in the world, surrounded by a Chinese wall of protection, such as we have never seen advocated by Republican advocate for the United States, laborers there receive the smallest reward of a few cents per day.

And why—

In England, having the lowest tariff in all the world, the highest of European wages are paid.

And why—

In Australia, with a tariff bordering on free trade, wages are higher than in any other country.

And why—

In Mexico, with a tariff much higher than ours, a good meal, if he can get work, only costs twenty-five cents a day.

And why—

In Russia, with almost a prohibitory tariff, wages are at the lowest point, and workingmen are not allowed on the sidewalks, but forced to trudge along the middle of the street.

When the history of Republic is written up, as it will be by the impartial historian of the present partisan rule that corruption hath made high wages.

PARTY INCONSISTENCY.

Senator Kenna, of West Virginia, declared an able speech before a Democratic meeting in Cooper Union, New York, last Friday night.

After quoting the fact that Henry Clay, the acknowledged father of American protection, framed, advocated and had passed, when manufacturing industries were in their infancy, a tariff bill, a bill providing for the reduction of duties on imports to twenty per cent., and which spoke measures distinctly declared in these words: "And such duties shall be laid for the purpose of raising such revenue as may be necessary to an economical administration of the Government"—the Senator remarked:

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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

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Personal.

Miss Mamie Bradshaw of Newark, is visiting relatives in the Borough.

Mr. A. D. Hudson of East Fifth street, is occupying the Winslow Hotel, Asbury Park.

Rev. E. M. Robinson will be located at "Dead Corner," Long Island, until next Monday.

Mrs. D. Adams of this city has gone to spend the month of August at Bayport Island, Conn.

Mr. John L. Blackford of Green street, Elizabeth, is a guest at the Mansion House, Asbury Park.

J. L. Van Nest and son, of West Second street, are stopping at the St. James Hotel, Asbury Park.

Mr. J. W. Johnson of Lafayette avenue, and Masters Harry and Bertie Johnson, are at Shrewsbury Lake.

Mrs. and Miss Benjamin Wright of Irving a hundred yard of two books, and Mr. John B. Naylor is filling his place.

Miss Linda Smith of Easton, Pa., is visiting two months with her friends, Miss Mary and John Fiedler, of this city.

Councilman E. V. Erickson and family of Eighth street, are among the pleasure seekers at "The Archers," Ragnette Lake, N. Y.

Mrs. William Wright, of Park avenue, will spend the remainder of the month of August at her old home, New London, Conn.

Mr. John M. Shepherd and Master Freddie Shepherd, of the Borough, are visiting friends among the Hills of old Hunterdon.

Chief of Police Tunis J. Carey and family will spend the coming two weeks at Ocean Grove, being located at No. 32 Pilgrim Pathway.

Mr. Charles Stiles, of New York, was the guest during Sunday of his brother, Mr. Elijah Stiles, of Somerset street, Plainfield.

On the August 3d inst., Sarah C. and Peter T. Force transferred to Elizabeth Schorr property in North Plainfield, for a consideration of $1,000.

Mr. Jacob Ayers, an old and respected resident of West Second street, is lying dangerously ill, his complaint being general debility and old age.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayard are at Newton in their duties, the guests of Mr. Maynard's brother.

Mr. L. S. Mulford and daughter, Miss Mary, of East Seventh street, are vacationing at Milford for the month.

Rev. Dr. A. P. Kinkaid will spend a portion of the remaining days of his vacation at Huntington, L. I.

Miss Lizzie Mann, of Flushing, L. I., is spending a month with friends on Orchard place, this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Anderson, of Central avenue, are visiting at the residence of Mr. Anderson's father, Mr. Joseph Anderson, of Somerville, N. J.

Miss Emma Bloom, daughter of Mr. Jacob Bloom, of Somerset street, left last Friday for a few weeks' visit among her many friends in the country.

A little boy came to Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sabbott, of Central avenue, on Wednesday morning.

Mr. J. D. Hoek and family, of Broadway and Lafayette avenue, left last Saturday for a month's stay at Saratoga Springs.

Mrs. V. N. Talmage of East Ninth street, has changed her location from No. 127 to 124, the Wadsworth House, Princeton, Mass.

Mr. Duchemiller and her daughter Katie, of New York, are making a two weeks' stay with her brother, Mr. Jacob Bloom, of Somerset street.

Miss Katie Bloom, daughter of Mr. Jacob Bloom, proprietor of the Farmers' Hotel, has returned to a two weeks' visit with friends in New York.

City Judge Geo. P. Stockton, will remove his family during the coming six weeks to Schooley's Mountain, near Hackettstown. He left the city on Monday last, to give his position here, on account of failing health.

Rev. Edward Y. Buchanan, of Elm Park M. E. church, will preach Sunday morning, taking his text from the 15th chapter of Genesis, 19th verse. He requests ways of plain, practical Christianity, and the use of the gospel address of his interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Clarkson of Somerset street, and Miss Clarkson, spent Sunday at their residence here, en route from Rock Island to the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Day of Dunellen, formerly of Plainfield, are receiving the happiest congratulations on the birth, the occasion being a young son, which was born to them on Monday evening.

The services of Rev. Dr. Kinkaid were filled next by Dean Major Charles Greenleaf's residence on West street, last Monday, and proceeded the wife a silver tea set of the Dean's departure for Europe, where he will spend the month of August.

Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck left Asbury Park yesterday for Rockaway, Pa., and will spend a week on the farm of Mr. Schenck's father, during that time he will "be on the wing" here and there.

Julia Augusta Brady, daughter of Benjamin and Katie Brady, died at her parents' residence on Liberty street, Monday, aged five years, four months and twenty-seven days. Deceased is assigned to the infant. The remains were interred in St. Mary's cemetery Tuesday morning. An elder daughter is lying at the point of death with the same disease.

The City Park.

The Press has frequently called attention to the disgraceful appearance of the City Park, and the need of improvement. The Common Council has appropriated $75 for improvements in the Park, and the Street Commissioner now has a force of men at work cutting down trees, filling in the low places, and putting the Park in shape. Seats from the street fronts will be located at convenient points in the Park, and other improvements made.

A Plainfielder Smashed a Patent.

Dr. Charles R. Thurber of this city has been granted a patent on a dental plate, which he has christened D. D. S. Although the instrumentality of Messrs. Snyder & Skillman of this city. The following letter received to-day will explain:

United States Patent Office,
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Charles R. Thurber, Sir:—Your application for registration of a trade-mark for a dental plate has been examined and found to be registrable under the law. If Plainfield is defeated, it will be defeated by us.

Respectfully,
Edson I. Hall,
Commissioner of Patents.

The members of the U. S. Blackstone Post, No. 166, of Brooklyn, Department of New York, will attend a camp-fire, given under the auspices of Plainfield Post, No. 75, of this city, on the 25th inst.

Second Temperance Camp-Meeting.

At a special meeting of the Middlesex Gun Club held at Perry's Hotel, evening July 3, it was decided to hold a four days' shooting tournament on the Club's grounds at Dunellen, N. J., in October next, the dates and all necessary arrangements to be placed in the hands of the following Committee:

Messrs. Sylvester G. Smith, W. Fred Quimby, E. H. Runyon, G. W. Watson, Geo. P. Runyon, Justice Dunn, Dr. Thomas T. B. Keller, Wm. Wagner, M. W. Mutford.

The Fiftieth Anniversary.

The ecclesiastical celebration of the erection of the Fiftieth Presbyterian Church on Prince street, will take place on Monday, August 20th, beginning at half-past two o'clock with a communicative meeting. Judge Nathaniel Harper, Chancellor of the University of Indianapolis, will preside, and read the first paper—"Historical Sketch of the Meeting House, Its erection and occupancy." Other interesting papers will be read, and addresses by the pastors announced in THE PRESS several days ago.

Pitcher Names the Mark for the Old Second Nailers.

The Y. M. C. A., Training Class, with Lieutenant Wm. D. Kelly, Jr., and Sergeant J. H. Mountain, went to Boynton Beach, Friday, and had a glorious time of all kinds. An opportunity also presented itself for the boys to see the progress made on the new pitcher, Mr. J. Harvey Doane.

The "Cuban Giants" of New Brunswick were also at the Beach for a match, and a game was quickly arranged. Mr. George Cornwell acted as Captain of the Plainfielders, and Messrs. Doane and Bennett were the battery. The Cubans, although heavy hitters, were unable to make any hits and lost two runs of Doane. The score at the finish was 14 to 2 in favor of Plainfield.

Lawn Party at Glenside Park.

A lawn party and dancing was tendered by Mrs. Hamilton, to her friends, at her residence, Glenside Park, near Scotch Plains, afternoon of Aug. 9. The beautiful lawn surrounding the residence was handsomely decorated, and during the afternoon Prof. Guttman's orchestra furnished music for the dancing. The party, which was seventy persons, were present, including children, and the latter enjoyed themselves dancing around the "May pole."

Each of the children was presented with a gift, and all were provided with an abundance of refreshments. The festivities began at 2 P. M. and evening was the hour for parting came, each one expressed a hope that at some future time the affair may be repeated.

Found Dead on the Railroad Track.

Mr. J. N. Honeyman of North Plainfield was the defendant in Justice Dunlap's court on Friday evening, in a suit brought by Mr. W. W. Cortell of this city, who charged in the complaint that the defendant had sold him a horse for $150, which he says was a double set of harness valued at about $25.

It appears that Mr. Cortell entrusted the defendant with the harness, while the latter was to sell for him. The complainant charges that the defendant sold the harness, and appropriated the proceeds to his own use. Judge Dunlap held the *defendant in the sum of $150 to await the action of the Grand Jury.* Mr. J. H. Stickney, of the firm of Stickney & Runyon, was retained for the prosecution, and Judge Geo. P. Stockton appeared for the defense.

Mr. Smith in Custody.

David C. Frazer, a horse-shoer, with shop in Piscataway township, was arrested by Borough Marshal Cid Ingham, Friday, and arranged before Justice Crossley on charge of accepting money under false pretenses. The complaint was signed by Mrs. Catherine Wagner, of Piscataway township, wife of Warrenville, was the complainant. He charges that Frazer sold him for $25, two thoroughbred cows as alleged by the latter, the fact which the defendant had never obtained a patent. Frazer was committed to the Somerville Jail to await the action of the Grand Jury, in default of $200 bail.

Frazer is said to bear an unsavory reputation, and several of his business transactions were of a questionable nature. He is reported to have sold a horse that was not out in this city. Gazelle Engine Company and the Truck answered the alarm, although the fire was outside of the city limits. The Fire Engine Company also responded to the alarm, but on the way over one of the horses became disabled, and consequently the engine could render no assistance.

Acting Chief Laine was on hand, and directed the movements of the firemen, but when the latter arrived the structure was a mass of flames. Some of the residents of the neighbors who were the first to arrive directed their efforts to rescuing the live stock. Two horses, one belonging to Mr. Van Schoick, and the other to Mr. Hardy, who had charge of the tenement of Mr. Adams' Grove, and consequently the engine could render no assistance.

The barn was totally destroyed, together with about two tons of hay, a lot of fruit and some harness. The total loss will probably reach $1,000, on which there is only $500 insurance.

The fire is supposed to have been started by a tramp, as a complaint was lodged with the police on Thursday last about the place during the evening. A tramp was also seen near the house on Friday morning, and when the house girl went to empty a pan of ashes, he caught hold of her.

Reorganizing St. Martyn A. M. E.

A regular monthly meeting of the St. Mary's T. A. B. Society was held in Association Hall, on Monday evening, the object being to re-organize the Society, which had a charter under the laws of New Jersey. President Kiely called the meeting to order, and Secretary Joseph Bush, recorded the proceedings. The election of the last meeting was read and approved, and after the report of the sick and other committees, had been received, the Committee on Constitution, was read by the Chairman Mr. John Welsh. The report stated that St. Mary's Hall had been purchased by the Society, and that the lease prepared and $600 had been made. The Committee also recommended the adoption of a charter and ordered a committee embodying the same. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

At this point in the proceedings, all the old officers resigned, with the Treasurer, Mr. Michael Dolan, resigning both as Treasurer and member of the Society. The following officers were re-elected as follows:

President—Patrick Kiely.
Vice-President—Joseph Kiely.
Financial Secretary—Joseph Bush.
Recording Secretary—John McNally.
Treasurer—John McCarthy.

The election of an Executive Committee and the appointment of other Committees, was then taken up and then adjourned.

A committee of three appointed by the chair, will meet this week, to revise the by-laws, etc.

The Nelson Murder Mystery.

The True Account of the Alleged "Confession" of the Accomplice in the Murder of the Millionaire Planter.

And Some Other Interesting New Facts.

The Elizabeth *Herald* of Saturday last, contained the following—more to the point:

On Thursday, August 9, Mr. Miles Wilcox, of Westfield, came to this city and was permitted to see Nathan Baldwin, who is confined in the county jail, accused of killing the murderer of Edward L. Miller, on the night of the 24th ult., on the bridge of Westfield.

Mr. Wilcox says, that upon inquiring of Baldwin in regard to a report circulated to the effect that he had made one or three prominent citizens of the place, Baldwin, after a long time, said that he would tell the truth, and that he had commenced to write it, but he was in relation to the matter, which, heretofore, he has purposely kept back from the public, and he is determined to keep it back further than the fact of its being set in writing.

It will be remembered that after the 5th of July the satchel disappeared very mysteriously from Baldwin's barn, although for a time it has been impossible to find any trace of it.

It is alleged that besides acknowledging the murder of Miller, and giving the whereabouts of the satchel, he also said he had an opinion as to who the murderer was, but that *he was afraid to be a very talkative prisoner*, and the least suspicion pointing to the guilty he will arrest long confine.

The citizens of Westfield do not understand the matter at all and they say, and it be true that, after Baldwin denying all knowledge of the affair, he has since the fact did confess to three prominent citizens of the place, and that too while in the jail, and that too while in the presence of his counsel, and not coming forward and making known the fact, for the purpose of exposing

HOW A CHINAMAN DIES.

A WEALTHY MONGOLIAN MERCHANT'S DEATH AT NEW YORK.

Sunday Commercial Times of the Celestials and Some of the Strange Customs They Observe—Not for Use of Whites. Nor Even Seen by Them—Burial Ceremonies.

A Chinese merchant died in this city last week, and his funeral was the occasion of a display of Celestial customs which was probably never before seen by the white residents of New York. The deceased was Ah Kee, a wealthy merchant, who had been in this country for many years, and who was well known to the Chinese residents of this city. He was a native of Canton, and was about 60 years old. He was taken sick about two weeks ago, and died on Thursday last. Ah Kee was a member of the Chinese Masonic Order, and as soon as he was dead the members of the order began to make preparations for the funeral. Ah Kee was a wealthy man, and his friends determined that his funeral should be the most elaborate ever seen in Chinatown. Accordingly they began to make preparations for it. Ah Kee had been a member of the Masonic Order for many years, and he had been for a long time a leading member of the Chinese colony in this city. He was also a member of the Chinese Six Companies, which is the governing body of the Chinese residents of this city. The Six Companies, which are privately known as the Hip Sing Tong, are the real rulers of Chinatown. They settle disputes between Chinamen, and their decisions are generally accepted as final. They are also the means of communication between the Chinese and the white people. Ah Kee was a member of the Hip Sing Tong, and as soon as he died the members of the Tong began to make preparations for the funeral. They sent word to Ah Kee's friends in San Francisco, and to the Chinese residents of Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, and other cities, telling them of his death, and asking them to come to New York to attend the funeral. They also sent word to China, and to Honolulu, where Ah Kee had relatives. They then began to make preparations for the funeral. They bought a handsome coffin, and had it lined with silk. They also bought a large quantity of silk and satin, and had it made into clothes for the dead man. They also bought a large quantity of paper, which was to be burned at the funeral. The paper was to be used by Ah Kee in the other world. The Chinese believe that the dead man will find use for the paper in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also bought a large quantity of paper money, which was to be burned at the funeral. This money was to be used by Ah Kee in the other world. The Chinese believe that the dead man will find use for the money in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also bought a large quantity of food, which was to be burned at the funeral. This food was to be used by Ah Kee in the other world. The Chinese believe that the dead man will find use for the food in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there.

The funeral took place on Saturday last. The procession started from the house of Ah Kee, on Mott street, and went to the Chinese cemetery in Cypress Hills. The procession was a very large one, and was composed of Chinamen from all parts of the city. The coffin was carried by six Chinamen, and was followed by a large number of carriages. The procession was headed by a band of Chinese musicians, who played a funeral march. The procession was also accompanied by a large number of Chinese flags, which were carried by the members of the Masonic Order. The procession was a very imposing one, and was watched by a large crowd of white people. The procession was also accompanied by a large number of police, who were detailed to keep the crowd back. The procession was a very long one, and it took a long time to reach the cemetery. When it arrived there the coffin was taken out of the hearse, and was carried to the grave. The grave was a very deep one, and was lined with stone. The coffin was then lowered into the grave, and the earth was thrown over it. The grave was then filled up, and the mound was covered with flowers. The Chinese believe that the dead man will find use for the flowers in the other world, and that they will be of great value to him there. They also believe that the dead man will find use for the earth in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also believe that the dead man will find use for the stone in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also believe that the dead man will find use for the water in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also believe that the dead man will find use for the air in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also believe that the dead man will find use for the fire in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there. They also believe that the dead man will find use for the earth in the other world, and that it will be of great value to him there.

HOUSEHOLD TOPICS.

PRETTY DESIGN FOR BATHING OR BATH TUB END OF THE TABLE

AT THE SEA SHORE.

Where the lazy waves are creeping
On the beach in ripples white,
Where the sea-gulls are sweeping
Through the sunlight's golden light,
Where the sea-weed's tangled meshes
Lie in many a curious fold,
Where the sea-shells' pearly beauty
Lies in hidden caves untold.

Where the sea-nymphs' golden tresses
Float in many a graceful curl,
Where the sea-nymphs' dainty fingers
Toss the waves in many a whirl,
Where the sea-nymphs' rosy faces
Peep from out the foamy spray,
Where the sea-nymphs' merry voices
Sing the hours of night away.

Where the sea-nymphs' fairy dances
Are performed on the sea-shore,
Where the sea-nymphs' fairy footsteps
Leave their prints forever more,
Where the sea-nymphs' fairy fingers
Pick the pearls from out the sea,
Where the sea-nymphs' fairy voices
Sing their songs of melody.

Where the sea-nymphs' fairy forms
Are reflected in the sea,
Where the sea-nymphs' fairy faces
Are mirrored in the sea,
Where the sea-nymphs' fairy hands
Are clasped in the sea,
Where the sea-nymphs' fairy hearts
Are beating in the sea.

SONG OF THE RIVER.

Mr. Eugene E. Camp, of Ohio, has collected the following song of the river. He says: "I have collected a number of songs of the river, but this is the only one I have ever heard sung by the boatmen on the river. It is a very pretty song, and I think it will be interesting to my readers."

The river flows, flows, flows,
And the river flows to the sea,
And the river flows to the sea,
And the river flows to the sea.

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ARTHUR P. MILLER, Attorney-at-Law, Office, Mercer Building, Plainfield, N. J.

F. DURAND, Civil Engineer and Surveyor, No. 7 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. Maps and plans of property, roads, etc., made and surveyed. Orders left at my residence will receive prompt attention.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

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Our Promise for the Future.

FOR PRESIDENT,
Grover Cleveland,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
Allen G. Thurman,
OF OHIO.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic voters of the State of New Jersey and all others favorable to the principles of Democracy are requested to meet in Delegate Conventions in their respective Counties, at the usual places of holding the same, on TUESDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF AUGUST, INSTANT, at TWELVE O'CLOCK, M., for the purpose of electing by ballot, to be voted for at the General Election to be held on the FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, NEXT, the following officers, viz:

A Governor,
A Member of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners,
A Secretary of State,
A Member of Congress,
A State Senator,
Three Members of the General Assembly,
A Sheriff,
A County Clerk,
A Surveyor,
A Coroner,
A Freeholder,
A Member of the Board of Chosen Freeholders,
A Township Committee,
A Township Clerk,
A Township Assessor,
Two Members of the Township Committee,
A Township Collector,
Two Members of the Township Board of Education,
A Township Treasurer,
A Township Auditor,
A Township Surveyor,
Two Township Overseers of the Poor,
Two Township Constables,
A Township Judge of Appeals,
Two Township Assessors,
A Township Collector

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NEW YORK MAILS.

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Arrive—10:30 a.m.; 2:30 and 6:30 p.m.
Mail for Watchung (Mondays excepted) and Scotch Plains, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 4 p.m.
Mail for Watchung (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) at 6 p.m.
Post office open from 7 a.m. and closes at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, open from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.
Money order office open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

—Oh! for a T. S. C. A.?ballding.

—On August 1st property was thus bought: Edward Reed to Mary Ann Reed, 1 lot, consideration one and dollar.

—The Press has been warmly congratulated for the manner in which it has recently assisted the colored people on East Fourth street, near Grant. All the neighbors express a desire to have the place improved.

—Mr. A. J. Winchester of North Plainfield, has received the contract for the erection of the Dodsworth tabernacle in the borough of Bound Brook. The tabernacle is known as the Gilbert tent on Somerset street, and the work of construction will begin at once.

—The Electric Light Company Sheriff Gaskill was in town Monday for the purpose of serving a writ upon the Plainfield Electric Light Company, brought by Mr. Thomas B. Brooks for $5,000 damages claimed by Mr. Brooks through the explosion of a dynamo. Congdon's celebrated light were in July. The name of Craig A. Marsh was also inscribed to the writ as attorney for Mr. Brooks.

NEW MARKET.

The place for a new school house in the Stoneybrook district by the Freeport road will be ready for occupation in a few days.

Miss Utley of Clarence, N. Y., has been engaged as principal of the public school for the ensuing year. Miss Utley has had a position in Dunellen, and is highly spoken of as a teacher of marked ability and has the confidence of the people.

Personal Reports.

Frank Clark, an employee of John B. Tice & Sons, while at work on a building on Independence avenue fell sitting on an iron in Mr. George A. Moore's bathing house, on the beach, at Long Branch, on which he pierced on a piece of iron and fell to the floor, a distance of about nine feet. The large chains of the iron fell with him, striking him on the left shoulder. Mr. Clark had his right leg badly cut, and he is considerably bruised about the body. For a time he was considered dangerously hurt, but he soon recovered sufficiently to go home.

Domestic Worries.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Cleveland and Thurman Guards was held in the Democratic Association rooms on E. Front street, evening Aug. 16, but the meeting was not as harmonious as that the members was exact.

The President, Adam Flaig called the meeting to order, and Secretary Hall and Mr. S. E. Force, the Secretary, was at his accustomed post of duty.

The Committee on Uniforms was present with samples of the uniforms for the guards, which they offered for inspection. After the samples were examined, the Committee was then ordered to be paid for the same. The next order of business, which consists of white leggings, red pantaloons, red and blue coat and hat, was then taken up for action, but it was here where the Cleveland Guards during the last campaign.

Personals.

Mrs. J. W. Tubbs has returned from Pine Hill, Ulster county, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Love have gone to Asbury Park for a while.

Mr. C. F. Bodle of East Ninth street, is a guest at West Hampton, L. I.

Miss J. C. Richardson and Miss Lottie Simonson are at Cape May.

Mrs. J. M. Hutchinson is a reporter, alive from this city at Asbury Park.

Mr. E. L. Sickels and family of Washington avenue, are at Liberty, N. Y.

Mr. Samuel Hall, Jr., and family are sojourning at Lake Mohawk, N. J.

Mrs. J. B. Heath of Church street, is spending a three week's vacation at Dover, N. J.

Mr. James R. Hall of East Ninth street, is enjoying the sea breeze at Ocean Beach.

Mr. W. Williamson and family are not present registered at the Mansion House, Brooklyn.

Dr. James Heath of East Front street, is a guest at the Taylor House, Schroon Lake, N. Y.

Mrs. W. A. Crawford and family, of West Fifth street, are now visiting relatives at Keyport, N. J.

Miss Nellie McKee of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Leader of North Plainfield.

Mrs. G. W. F. Randolph and Miss Florence Randolph are registered at the Grand Central, Asbury Park.

Hon. John T. Dunn appears in a very favorable light in the following item relating that he has not come out for Barry, as was stated by the Republican papers:

Mrs. James Donnelly and family of Madison avenue, have returned to the Norman House, Asbury Park, where they will remain for a fortnight. Miss Rosie Barry of West Winfield, Conn., accompanies them.

Mr. Charles Pratt, the efficient and courteous engineer and stamp clerk in the post office, left Tuesday to visit his brother in Pittsburgh. Mr. Pratt will go to the new people who are about to form home—either or later they want to return to their list.

Mr. Chas. H. Smith, a young student of Union avenue this city, occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church, Saturday and preached an able discourse. Mr. Smith is a young man of excellent ability and handling his subject in such a pleasing and interesting manner, that it elicited the marked attention of his hearers.

Mr. Charles Hetfield, who has been absent from North Plainfield, and has been absent on a business trip to Hartford, Conn.

Mr. W. M. Horton, a retired merchant of New York, has been sojourning in Plainfield for a few days, the guest of his brother, Mr. Wm. Horton, of Broadway. He has become so delighted with our fair city that he secured his brother's property and will make Plainfield his future home.

Isaac S. Runyon, aged 61 years, a resident of Millington, Somerset county, N. J., took a prominent part in two runaway accidents in that village, on Monday. The first occurred in the morning, when a horse attached to two ox-carts, but in the first instance he was not injured. In the afternoon he attached himself to the wagon, and fractured his right leg, near the hip. Mr. Runyon is the father of Mrs. W. S. Codington of this city.

Made an Assignment.

Messrs. Warden & Fowler, the Park avenue confectioners, Aug. 16, made an assignment to Justice V. W. Nash, who resides on the third floor above their establishes. It is understood, are about $1,700, and the assets will not nearly equal that amount. Mr. Warden will open a confectionery store in Dunellen, as soon as the stock is disposed of, and the business settled up.

Their Freedom Suspected.

The members of the Ladies' and Young Ladies' Section of the Gossing and Turn Verein Society, tendered a agreeable surprise party to Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Schlueter, at the Society's headquarters on East 2d street evening Aug. 16. During the evening a fine set of cups and saucers, and pearl pencils was presented to Mrs. Schlueter, who gracefully acknowledged the gift. The evening was spent in social entertainment, and was closed with a substantial collation. A Press reporter called on the ladies whilethey were at the height of their enjoyment, and he was very cordially received and entertained.

The Section was recently organized and has already become quite popular. The ladies intend to give a series of entertainments during the time of winter, which will be both pleasing and profitable.

Most Startling Circumstantial Evidence Yet in the Wandering Murder Case.

The Elizabeth Herald belongs the credit of the first publication of the latest "great link in the chain of evidence that is being drawn around Fred Baldwin as the murderer of Edward Miller, at Westfield."

Read this and try to imagine anything more foolish:

"It is known that Baldwin at one time worked for Mr. Sutphen, and there are many to believe that this fact accounts for the position in which Miller's body was found. It will be remembered that the body was lying straight in the road, with one hand across the breast, in the exact manner a body is generally prostrated when lying in a casket. A prominent resident of Westfield says that if it is true that the body was in the habit of laying out corpses at one time, the position in which it was found would have been the position he was used."

Then if Baldwin had at one time worked for a barber, he would have given Miller a shave and a hair cut.

Being once an undertaker should impel Baldwin to bury a body, if anything.

The class at Pennington Seminary, of which Miller was a classmate, has resolved to have his body exhumed from his present resting place, and will re-inter it in the Van Wickle plot, in the Rural cemetery.

There is scarcely any doubt that it will be removed to Pennington and buried from the church. The people will be invited as soon as the class comes together in September.

IS THERE POLITICS IN THE WESTFIELD MYSTERY?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The necessity of a coroner's inquest is happily so rare in our town, that it is not singular that few should be called upon to act or understand what the duties of such a jury are. While nine out of the eleven decided that the evidence produced was not sufficient to hold Baldwin for the Grand Jury, no one of the nine was so stupid as to think the man was actually on trial for murder. The people's witnesses were not examined. The prisoner's witnesses were not. If the case comes together the true bill or not as it may then appear just, but even then Baldwin is not being tried, and the jury's business is over. It is represented by counsel. The jury who were obliged to sit patiently and hear all the evidence carefully weighed, and to hear some while on the stand—and who also had other evidence presented to them not brought out during the inquest, are probably at least as well posted as he, who was only heard part of the testimony, or read the newspaper criticism. Several "prominent citizens" appear to have taken upon themselves to act as counsel for Baldwin but openly condemn the nine jurymen who under oath considered there was sufficient evidence to hold him for examination before a higher tribunal.

Two of those nine jurymen were countrymen of Baldwin's, and several other citizens were of German descent. Baldwin claimed to be German. While the three prominent citizens who signed the "Baldwin manifesto," are certainly well known men who have employed Baldwin to cover and declared his innocence even before the testimony had been given, the most prominent citizen who is first on the list strikes the responsibility of his signature. Singular is it not that politics should in any manner enter into the consideration of a murder trial. Evidently it has in this case.

Would it not be more practical if those "prominent citizens" and others would concentrate their efforts in having counsel at Baldwin's trial when it takes place? Those nine jurymen would help relieve Baldwin's fair trial if necessary. The jury would be glad to have Baldwin proved innocent, but there is no question about his having to defend himself before a jury if he would free himself from the charge. Meanwhile let us not forget that Baldwin is innocent (before the law) until convicted.

JOHN J. WILLIS.

(Of the Coroner's Jury.)

THE DEMOCRATS WON.

The Republicans of North Plainfield Didn't Want the Democrats to Have a Wigwam on the Corner of Second and Somerset Streets.

The North Plainfield Cleveland and Thurman Club recently appointed a committee to secure a location on which to erect a wigwam for use this coming campaign.

The committee hired the ground on the north side of the corner of Second and Somerset streets, from the lessee, Rev. Mr. Cleaver, and got the consent of the owner, Mr. Richard Cordell, before witnesses, for the erection of the wigwam on said premises. They paid the rent in advance and got the lessee's receipt. They were very much pleased with their success, and felt the strength of what they had done they hired a builder and he commenced to build a wigwam on Saturday last.

It happened that there are seven Republicans in North Plainfield who are so bigoted as the Puritan witch burners, and less enlightened than the voters of the county, who voted for Grover Cleveland, presumes to hear upon the Republican owner of the land on which the wigwam was being erected, and he forbade the consent he had given for the use of the land.

Hon. John Ulrich, who is president of the committee, called upon Mr. Cleaver in behalf of the land owner, on the committee to desist from completing the wigwam. As the justice did not unfriendly to the Democrats, he thought that the committee regretted that the lawyer had put himself in the trouble of writing it out, and paid no attention to it, but went on constructing the building. On Saturday night the committee took counsel of Mr. Walter L. Randall of this city. By his advice at 4 o'clock Monday morning a large force of enthusiastic Democratic carpenters were at work on the structure, and before the sleepy Republican holdovers were aroused from their slumbers the wigwam and the stars and stripes floated proudly over it. If the Republicans now want to carry the matter into the Courts they are perfectly authorized to do so.

Appointments.

Chief Engineer—E. H. Robinson, M. F. Lindsley, D. R. Terry and J. Von Glahn.

Committee on Advertising — J. Fred Quimby, Wm. Seigler, M. F. Lindsley and Wm. Horton.

Register Committee—W. L. Force, M. W. Mayhall, G. W. Wilson and Edward Smith.

Committee on Finance—E. H. Keller, D. R. Terry, M. W. Mayhall and E. H. Robinson.

Committee on Communications and Meetings—C. W. Randall, Dan'l Mayhall, Jr., Isaac S. Runyon, Jr., Wm. Seigler, Wm. Syracuse, N. Y., E. H. Robinson, Herbert W. J., W. Fred Quimby, New York city.

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THADDEUS JOSEPH FRANK.

The Late Long Firemen, Who Is Now Chief of Plainfield's Brigade.

THE PRESS takes pleasure in presenting the Plainfield public in particular and its readers in general, with the above excellent likeness, and the biographical sketch below, of Mr. Thaddeus Cebotts Doane who has been elected Chief of Plainfield's Paid Fire Department. Chief Doane has been a fireman from his cradle, and will be a fireman to his grave. He is a faithful and efficient officer—commanded by experience, skill and ability.

He was born in Barrington, Nova Scotia, July 1, 1844; but at the age of eighteen months he was moved with his parents to Brooklyn. To this day the Chief remembers the first "scare," which was kindled by a stove, when at less than two years old he was punished in that way for, running to a fire.

But all that said more would not have made the embryo Chief of a paddies that was born in him. He continued a regular "runner" until No. 10 Engine, "Old Hicks," was assigned to duty. On the day time fires when he was not at school, until his removal to New Jersey in 1857.

At the age of eighteen years, he enlisted in the 13th N. J. Vols., and was severely wounded in the thick of the fight at Gettysburg. When again able to do duty he was transferred to the 35th Reg't and Provost Corps, and served until the close of the war.

He joined the Plainfield Volunteer Fire Department in October, 1868, and for 23 years has labored in its interests, for its high standing and prosperity, the advancement of the good of its members, and the protection of the lives and property of our citizens. He has been Assistant Foreman, Foreman, Assistant Chief for two years, and was elected and appointed Chief by the votes of the fellow firemen during 1876, '77 and '79.

During twenty-two years of volunteer service he has never missed a fire, and is in his knowledge and reach, unless in case of sickness. Upon the recent purchase by the city of the property of the Fire Department, and the Common Council's assumption of the control of this most important feature of the public welfare, the position of Chief was naturally considered open for the most efficient and skillful regarding the duties of such office. Upon Mr. Doane, therefore, justly and unanimously fell the lot of appointment, His nomination by Mayor Mayhew was unanimously confirmed by the Council, and as THE PRESS said at the time:

In the nomination by Mayor Mayhew Mr. Thaddeus C. Doane, and his prompt and unanimous confirmation by the Council, the city secures as Chief of its new Fire Department a gentleman whose long experience and well known integrity to serve in such capacity to the promptly of the city and the security of its interests.

Chief Doane is also, Fire Marshal, Fire Inspector, President of the Firemen's Relief Association, and President of the Order of American Firemen.

Still They Come.

The defection in the Blaine-Harrison ranks is daily becoming more apparent. Rats will desert a sinking ship, and so will men of lesser desert a rotten cause. The latest defection is that of Hon. John Thurman banner from Union county to Chauncey R. Ripley, Esq., of Westfield.

Everybody knows Chauncey R. Ripley, the prominent Republican lawyer of Westfield. He is the man who bested and wined State Senator Miller at Delicanico's after his election and gave the closing address of this city a rebuke from the platform to celebrate Miller's victory, for which consummation Messrs. James R. Bogle, Frank Bergen, Surrogate Parrott, Legislator Voorhees and others so nobly worked last Fall. Well, Mr. Ripley, then so enthusiastic, generous and loyal, is a Republican no more. He has written a letter to the chairman of the National Democratic committee in which he says, without as if or a but, that he is for Cleveland, Thurman and Reform, and his ballot, in November, will be in diametric opposition to that bundle of absurdities known as the Republican platform. Mr. Ripley is not a professional politician, but a solid lawyer and a rich citizen whose acts are controlled by what he believes to be right. He has leads of personal friends in Westfield and in this city and as will carry many Republicans into the Cleveland ranks.

Mr. Edward Beck, a prominent wholesale liquor dealer of Elizabeth, a life-long Republican, has also come out for Cleveland and Thurman. He has a large following of the Germans.

All the Greenbackers of this congressional district are likely to vote for Cleveland, and all of them will cast at least 2,000 votes for their congressional candidate, Mr. Hope. Benjamin Urnet, their former candidate for governor, is already out for Cleveland, and purports to be the editor of the late Greenback and Labor organ of the State, is stumping New Jersey for Cleveland. T. W. Thomas, secretary and treasurer of the National Greenback and Labor party, now of Newark, but formerly of Elizabeth, is in the same boat. He was also a warm friend of T. Morgan, of Elizabeth, once candidate for the legislature on the Greenback ticket, is now a Democrat, and with him and Greenbackers of Middlesex, Michael C. Brown, William Darcy, George W. Hopping and hundreds of others who voted for Gen. Butler in 1884. These are not "men in buckram," but reputable citizens widely known and appreciated. Where, oh where are the defaulting Democrats? Not one has been appointed that we have denied emphatically the "soft impeachment."

Middlesex Gun Club Tournament.

The Committee appointed by the Middlesex Gun Club to arrange for the Third Annual Tournament, to be held upon the Club grounds October 16, 17, 18 and 19, met in New York recently and appointed the following Committees to carry out the details of the Tournament:

Reynolds G. Smith, Chairman.

Committee on Finance—G. F. Sargeant and G. W. Watson.

Committee on Reception—E. H. Robinson, M. F. Lindsley, D. R. Terry and J. Von Glahn.

Committee on Advertising — J. Fred Quimby, Wm. Seigler, M. F. Lindsley and Wm. Horton.

Register Committee—W. L. Force, M. W. Mayhall, G. W. Wilson and Edward Smith.

Committee on Prizes—E. H. Keller, D. R. Terry, M. W. Mayhall and E. H. Robinson.

Committee on Communications and Meetings—C. W. Randall, Dan'l Mayhall, Jr., Isaac S. Runyon, Jr., Wm. Seigler, Wm. Syracuse, N. Y., E. H. Robinson, Herbert W. J., W. Fred Quimby, New York city.

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PLAINFIELD'S GLORY AT CHAUTAUQUA.

Jottings Before Your Eyes That Thrilled Along THE CITY, and Its Reputation Anchors on the Speed Proves Them.

CHAUTAUQUA, N.Y., Aug. 14.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Here's my next and here's my gossip.

I thought indeed that in my last letter I had told all there was to tell about the Vincents, the Horibots, the McGees and the other clans here which hail from that pleasant city of Plainfield, and I purposed in this letter to tell all about some other people here. But since then these persons I have mentioned by name have "got up and got" in such an extraordinary manner that I must needs tell Plainfield how and why they did it. So here's my gossip.

Tuesday, Aug. 7, was the opening day of the Assembly. Opening day is a sort of decorous and enthusiastic jollification over the Chautauqua Idea. Five thousand people pile themselves into the amphitheatre and applaud the little three-minute speeches of the Dealve or fifteen big guns (big as Chautauquans only) on the stage. Johns, rumblesomers and everything appropriate to say, flow back and forth upon the stage. Frank Beard, the chalk talker, was pulled on "step-dad rails," but refalfated spirily and admirably. A sharp thrust was levelled at the speakers who had preceded him. "What I like the use of in Chautauqua," he said, "There is enough to talk about at Chautauqua without being eloquent." And so there is, Fulsome adulation is said at Chautauqua's worst enemy.

Dr. J. C. Pitch, an Englishman whom not a few men in this city remember of years of before, received the highest honor of the evening, the Chautauqua salute. It was the Bishop who ordered the salute, and the Bishop was obeyed. But the Bishop did not like what Dr. Fitch said, and so, when he had ceded, stood up in a manly way and said:

"Dr. Fitch has given me more, vastly more, than my meed of praise in sounding the glories of Chautauqua.

"Brother Miller, will you stand up a minute? [applause] *Brother Miller and I are a sort of close corporation* [applause], and I should be doing injustice to myself, and to some interests dear to me, if I were not to correct, as I always try to do, any impression which would make me responsible for this magnificent work, Lewis Miller is my senior. He was old enough to tell all, so I shall tell none; but I never care to hear my name mentioned in connection with the good work of Chautauqua without hearing also the name of Lewis Miller [applause].

"While we are doing up the foreign countries," he continued, "I have a representative of another foreign land, whom I wish to introduce to you—*James McGee of New Jersey.*"

The brightest portion of Mr. McGee's speech is the following. It is whispered about that during its utterance some half dozen young ladies in the audience fainted with blushes. Being a gent of the gender masculine, were seen to look their way longingly.

"Mr. President, I love New Jersey, I love her men. I point to a magnificent specimen in the form of the Bishop. [Bishop Vincent—Stand up, Bishop of Buffalo.] I love her women. [Laughter and applause.] I love her babies. I say that we have a button that touches off the C. L. S. C. in Plainfield. I love her for her beautiful young ladies, and if I should add that we have some of the finest mosquitoes, [Great laughter.] It was one of our poets, Longfellow, who wrote of mosquitoes:

Oh, the mosquitoes, they are small your throws!
But the mosquitoes, though they're small,
Can sing their song from here to hell all 'Longfellow.'

There were 250 people, who took advantage of the excursion from New York, projected by the Brooklyn Chautauqua Assembly, and among them the Plainfield delegation. The excursion train had all luck, vexatious delays kept it on the rail from eight in the morning till one o'clock at night, though the advertised time of its arrival was eight o'clock. It took an hour for the steamer to reach Chautauqua and the excursionists thought the lake looked a pretty prospect of resting in the dock building for the rest of the night and drearily singing "We won't go home till morning." For the latter they can wouldn't have it. The electric lights were turned on again. The hotels and boarding houses opened and lights shone forth a welcome everywhere. All the available policemen in the grounds escorted the excursionists to their homes and welcome was everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hall-stock settled down on Terrace avenue, at No. 149).

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred MacDonald made their home at 253 North avenue.

Miss Olive Rogers, Miss Clark and Miss Julia Scribner, took quarters at the Hotel Athenæum and have enjoyed a very pleasant stay of a week.

COMING OF OTHER PEOPLE.

Miss Kate F. Kimball with Miss Ida Kimball, are pleasantly located on the borders of Miller Park. Miss E. B. Bellemere is located with Miss G. L. Chamberlin in a cottage near the former. Miss Kimball is in great demand everywhere. Miss Anglemeas is in great command of your correspondent. Miss Bellemere is a member of the C. L. S. C., Class of 1888, which graduates next Wednesday. Miss Chamberlin, who is secretary of the Summer schools, informs your correspondent that she will enjoy her stay very much around. The professors, some of them, enjoy her bossing.

Miss Annie M. Potts, with her sister, Mrs. Lucretia Potts, settled about the 1st, in a cottage, corner of Hedding and Morris avenues, for a two weeks stay.

Miss Ellen E. Hubbard is brief stay enjoying in a cottage near the Amphitheatre.

Miss C. L. Dusenbury is stopping with the Bishop.

Mr. F. J. Miller leaves on Thursday for Ohio, for a two weeks visit with his parents.

Dr. L. L. Hurlbut has returned from the West and is actively engaged in Assembly work.

Among those present at a reception given recently to the faculty of the College of Liberal Arts by the French department of the Summer schools, were Mr. F. J. Miller, Miss Miller, Miss Ellen Miller, Miss Anglemeas, Miss Bellemere and Miss Chamberlin.

Mr. F. H. Andrews paid a flying visit to the grounds during July.

W. E. C.

A Novel Shooting Match.

The Gossing and Turn Verein Society will hold a picnic in Keller's Grove, North Plainfield, on Labor day, Monday, September 3. A feature of the picnic will be the first annual single shoot of the season, at which time the eagle shoot has never before been introduced in this city. A pole about fifty feet long is placed in an upright position, on the top of which is an eagle, crowned, and holding a cane, etc. The shooters stand off a specified distance and blaze away at the image. The person who succeeds in knocking down the wooden image will later in the day, be crowned King.

At the same time the battles of the Society will engage in target practice, and the lady making the best score will assume the title of Queen. At five o'clock the ceremony of crowning the King and Queen will take place, and handsome prizes will be awarded to them. This will be followed by exhibition tumbling, and a grand ball in the evening. There will perform the tableaux "Columbia" and "Germania" with beautiful scenic effects. The whole programme will be followed by dancing.

FRASER LEE'S WILL.

The funeral of the late Fraser Lee, the hermit, who died at Two Bridges, on Sunday, leaving an estate valued at upwards of $200,000, took place from the house, afternoon Aug. 15, and was largely attended. Rev. Dr. Parks, pastor of the Scotch Plains Baptist church, officiated. The body was buried beside the brother in the family plot in Hazelwood Cemetery.

After the funeral, Mr. W. B. Codington, of the firm of Messrs. Jackson & Codington, attorney for the executors, read the will, which contrary to expectation willed most of the estate to the Scotch Plains Baptist church. To be used first to pay of its debt, and the balance to carry on the work of "Spreading the Gospel." The will was a surprise to all, and several persons, whom it was expected would be "comfortably fixed," were cut off with a $500 allowance. The document was dated July 9, 1888, and provides as follows:

First—For the payment of all debts, etc., and for the cost of carving the deceased's name on a monument in Hazelwood Cemetery.

Second—Gives $5,000 to Frazee Lee Bonnell.

Third—Gives $500 to Sarah Houne.

Fourth—Gives $500 to Hettie M. Garthwaite.

Fifth—Gives $500 to Wm. Hetfield.

Sixth—Gives $500 to Harry Hetfield.

Seventh—Gives $250 to Thomas Lee.

Eighth—Gives all the residue to the Scotch Plains Baptist church, to be used first, for the payment of its debt, and the balance to be used by said church in spreading the Gospel.

Ninth—Appoints as executors, with power to sell any and all real estate, John H. Jackson, William Hetfield and Sarah Houne.

A codicil dated July 21, 1888, adds the name of Dr. Monroe B. Long as co-executor.

Daniel Lee, a brother of Fraser, died on July 8, and the following day *Fraser's* will was made. Daniel willed to his brother all of his large estate. The will was probated a few days ago, and Fraser Lee, Mrs. Jane Lee and Mr. *Hettfield were appointed administrators.*

The exact amount of Fraser Lee's estate can not be ascertained until after an inventory of his personal property is made, but it is expected that it will foot up near $500,000. Of this amount the Scotch Plains Baptist church will receive all but a few thousand dollars, thus freeing it from debt, and placing it, financially, at the head of the list of wealthy churches in New Jersey.

It is not thought likely that any effort will be made to contest the will, as there is said to be but two persons living who are entitled to file a caveat, "*Mary K. Hetfield, aged 93, and Daniel Hetfield, aged 97.*

The members of the Scotch Plains Baptist church and the citizens in general of that place, are highly elated over the generous contribution willed them by Fraser Lee. There is a mortgage of $5,000, on the church, which the trustees can now pay off, and yet have enough of the interest left to take the Sunday School on an excursion.

Mr. Lee was a peculiar man, his only desire being to hoard up money. When the project to build the C. L. S. C. building was first started, officers of the association walked upon Mr. Lee, but the latter stated that he was not able or ready to do anything for it. He also said when he was through with this life, if there was anything left of his little estate, he might contribute a portion of it to some good work. It is said that he was a member of the church which today is rejoicing over his generosity.

Crescents vs. Woodbridge.

The Crescents of this city will compete with the Woodbridge nine in a match game of ball on the East Front street grounds, Saturday, at 3:30 P. M. The Woodbridge nine is a strong one, and defeated the Crescents on a former occasion by a score of 24 to 7. We predict that the score of Saturday's game will result in a victory for the Crescents.

Held to Bail.

Mrs. Mary K. Illsley's examination on a charge of assault and battery was had Tuesday before Justice Nash. The witnesses for the State showed that in a fit of jealous rage she violently attacked the complainant, struck her, pushed her down, tore out two handful of her hair and otherwise ill-treated her. Mrs. Illsley was held in $100 bail to answer the charge.

John H. Jackson, Esq., represented the State and Craig A. Marsh, Esq., for Mrs. Illsley.

The Water and Power Assigned.

The hotel liabilities of Messrs. Warden and Fowler, the confectioners of this city who made an assignment to Justice Nash on Thursday, will foot up close to $2,500, and the total assets, it is said, will not exceed $650. The deed of assignment together with the assignee's bond, have been filed at Somerville. The largest creditors are Messrs. Kolf of New York city, Mason, Au & Zollinger of Brooklyn and Stockton of Flemington. Some of the smaller creditors are Messrs. Cook Bros., John A. Thiebaud, estate D. J. Bolye, R. F. Stevens, A. M. Runyon & Sons and P. M. Demarest, of this city.

Gathering Snow in August.

Many of our readers will doubtless be glad to know that Rev. W. E. Honeyman and wife, of North Plainfield, are enjoying themselves in the far West, and while humanity is sweltering in the heat here in the East, the Doctor and his wife are experiencing some Winter weather. The following is an extract from a private letter from Doctor Honeyman, dated Estes Park, Colorado, August 6:

"We have been sojourning in Estes Park over two weeks and have had delightfully cool weather all the time. The truth we have had fire on the hearth nearly every night and morning, and on two or three occasions during the entire day. On the 7th of this month, my wife and I ascended Long's Peak to the height of 13,000 feet, and gathered handfull of freshly fallen snow, while our people below in this camp below the snow that had formed during the previous night and had not yet melted at midday."

Obstinate Indigestion.

Obstinate cases of indigestion or liver complaint, are easily cured by a few HAMBURG FIGS, as hard to be proved by thousands. 25 cents. Does, one Sg. J. D. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING COLUMN.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Sutton's Catarrh Remedy, a marvelous cure for Catarrh. Hay fever, Influenza, Sore Throat, Bronchitis. With each bottle there is an Inhaler. Sold by druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price, $1. Dr. Sutton, Chemist, Laboratory, 1 Park Place, New York. Sold by Field & Randolph, City Pharmacy.

SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses always cures. We advise all who have a cough to try it. Price 10 cents, 50 cents and $1. If your lungs are sore, Chest or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by Field & Randolph, City Pharmacy.

Ely's Cream Balm is a positive cure for Catarrh. Hay Fever, Influenza, Sore Throat, Bronchitis. With each bottle there is an Inhaler. Sold by druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price, $1. Dr. Sutton, Chemist, Laboratory, 1 Park Place, New York. Sold by Field & Randolph, City Pharmacy.

ANSWER THIS QUESTION.

Why do so many people we are around us complaining of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Nervousness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Sleeplessness, Low Spirits, Blood Poisoning, Boils, Pimples, Eruptions, Sallow Complexion, Kidney Complaints, Female Weakness, Malaria, Chills and Fever, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervous Prostration, Headache, Backache, Pain in the Side, Chest, Limbs and Joints, Loss of Memory, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells, Sleepless Nights, Nightmare, Cold Feet, Hands and Body, Creeping Sensations of the Skin, Dull Pain at the Base of the Brain, Specks before the Eyes, Yellow Skin, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Offensive Breath, Worms, Internal Fever, Nervousness, Trembling Sensations, Wakefulness, Dull Sensations, Want of Energy, Lack of Ambition, Irritability, Fretfulness, Mental Depression, Restlessness at Night

FASHION AND DRESS.

PRETTY STYLES OF HATS OF THE SEASON.

FIFTH PAPER.

Parisian Fashions in Simple Travelling Costumes—Pretty Hats for Young Ladies—Bonnets Suitable for Middle-Aged Women—Trimmings That are to be Worn This Season—Fashions for Young Children and Infants.

Rice and Pompadour straw hats are very popular for young girls and look becoming to a pretty face.

Mousseline veils are prohibited for the use of those who have not pretty faces, for it is with the tulle veil that the unique art of concealing defects is practiced. Many ladies who have not the courage to wear a full veil will wear a small one, which is not becoming to them, but which they think will hide their defects. The result is not always satisfactory, for the veil is so small that it only makes the defect more conspicuous.

Pearl Fashions.

Travelling dresses are very simple, and principal object is to be comfortable. Many ladies wear the Directoire coat, which is very popular, and is made of cloth, with a vest of the same material. Many ladies have a jacket with a vest of the same material. The jacket is cut in the shape of a coat, but does not reach the waist line. The vest is cut low and has a double row of buttons. Many other costumes are fashioned after this model.

Pearl Fashions.

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And she'd always have a good dinner when I got back after being away.

And she'd always have the best slice of ham and the best chicken.

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[The Democratic State Convention of New Jersey met in Trenton on Wednesday, August 29, at 12 o'clock, noon, pursuant to the call of the State Committee, and was called to order by Chairman Abram Q. Keasbey, of Essex. On motion of Mr. Keasbey, Hon. Leon Abbett, of Hudson, was elected temporary chairman, and Hon. Edward Q. Keasbey, of Essex, was elected temporary secretary. On motion of Mr. Keasbey, the following committee on permanent organization was appointed: Essex, Abram Q. Keasbey; Hudson, Leon Abbett; Union, Edward Q. Keasbey; Middlesex, Thomas Lynch; Monmouth, Thomas H. Dudley; Ocean, Thomas Kelly; Burlington, Samuel H. Allen; Camden, Joseph Cooper; Gloucester, Samuel Richards; Salem, Samuel Hancock; Cumberland, Thomas Shaw; Atlantic, Samuel Adams; Cape May, Jesse Hand; Sussex, Thomas Ryerson; Warren, Jacob Shiffler; Hunterdon, Jacob Fisher; Somerset, Peter Vroom; Morris, Thomas Cleveland; Passaic, Garret Hopper; Bergen, Peter Zabriskie; Mercer, Thomas Yard; Monmouth, Thomas H. Dudley.

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—Oh! for a Y.M. C. A. building.

—There remained but [illegible] weeks for the public school system upon the Fall term, Monday, Sept. 10.

—Many of the hands in the oil cloth factory were dismissed on having a vacation, as the factory has been closed to shut down for a week during this week.

—The Comedies will play a return game with the Vest Ends of Rome, this, the grounds of the latter, on Labor Day afternoon. The West Ends are playing the Cohoe Cohoe of Trenton this afternoon.

—Manager Bliss of the Dominick Music House, has sold to Wilson Higbie [illegible] piano at the City Park; has leased a tent in the park so that he can have direct communication with the Detroit Musical Convention at Put-in-Bay.

—Have you noticed that somehow this winter it rains just about the time it is needed? It has been a glorious Summer for all concerned, and the farmers have had a fine "way" in getting in the abundant harvests of crops of the various kinds.

—Miss Luella Trimmer and Mrs. W. B. Hart of this city, left on the Central Railroad train, Wednesday, for Fair Haven, Cayuga county. She formerly resided across the river, and has had a fortune of forty-[illegible] years.

—Fish Commissioner William Wright of Newark was in this city on Monday, consulting the Fish Warden from this district with reference to stocking certain streams in this vicinity.

—Next, the only child of Edgcus and Lena Hendricks of Grove street and Green brook road, North Plainfield, died Sunday of convulsions.

—The little one was [illegible] years old.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Maynard, of North avenue, have just returned from an extended Eastern tour that included a stop at Newport, R. I., and a visit with Mr. Maynard's brother in Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cadmus leave Monticello, N. Y., today for a tramp in Pennsylvania. They will be at Newton next week Tuesday, and will be at home to their friends at their residence on Plainfield avenue, later in the season.

—Rev. A. R. Dills is now in spending a vacation at Grove Point House, Sebring Lake, Ohio, a resort on the shore of the lake. Grove Point House has 160 cots in two grades, both of which were run by his sons.

—Miss E. R. Bonnell and son and Miss Dorman of Central avenue, left on the Central train at about 8:00. The firm's duties are about $2,000.

—The advance agent for the Thatcher, Primrose & West Minstrels, [illegible] which is to perform here September 4, is in town today hiring the city for the amount of all contested combinations. The engagement of the Thatcher, Primrose & West paper were posted in this city.

—The citizens of Somerville, will be very pleased, at the political meeting which will be held in Somerville Hall this evening, to learn that "free-donate advertising" by the Plainfield editor, which he is only too pleased to do, will be [illegible] by the Plainfield editor, who will be up and up and left the hall, declaring that the speaker was basically demagogic. It is also stated that he is redeeming his pledge to run for office, and that he will be in the field in Somerville a long time before he is at Watchung.

A Number of Runaway Boys.

There is an unusual number of runaway birds about this year, more in fact than have been seen for many years, and the cause is attributed to the fact that during these flower & flower and digging time the boys seek the haunts of the wood. They are easily frightened and consequently they are not to be blamed for this. Some farmers are under the impression that their absence from the premises is a sign of a mild winter.

A Plainfield Man Relieved.

John Beckwith, a son of Mr. John Beckwith of East Front street, was accidentally injured about the head while at work at McCullough's "inch and [illegible]" factory on North Plainfield, Tuesday afternoon. He was working at a machine, and, it is said, Mr. Beckwith was bending down on a stage, when the belt started up, striking one of the pulleys, and the force of the blow on the head. A deep scalp wound several inches long, was inflicted on the side of the head, from which blood flowed profusely.

The injured man was taken to Dr. Prentice's office, where the wounds were dressed, and the patient was subsequently taken to his home in a carriage.

Sunshine in Another Home.

On July 1st last at about 7 o'clock p. m. a [illegible] was placed in front of Mr. Becker's residence between a runaway driven by Augustus Unglaub and a light wagon driven by Wilbur Dickens. The horses threw the latter out, and he received a severe cut, fracture of his right clavicle and injuring his left shoulder and hip. Mr. Dickens is a member of the Knights of Pythias and Mr. Becker being [illegible] on behalf of Mr. Ullmeyer, and Dr. W. E. Hamilton for Mr. Becker, they were ordered paid $100. The Knights of Pythias [illegible] Lodge and the following [illegible]

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TO-MORROW.

TO-MORROW and how many
Have we in the long years
Of life that lie behind us,
Of hopes and joys and fears
Which we have said would surely
Be ours to-morrow?

Ah, me! how many
Of our to-morrows
Have come and gone and left us
Nothing but sighs and tears
And vain regrets and sorrows
Because to-morrow
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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic voters of the State of New Jersey, and all persons in sympathy with the principles and policy of the Democratic party, are requested to send delegates to a State Convention to be held in the City of Trenton, on Wednesday, the 19th day of September, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Governor, Chancellor, Justices of the Supreme Court, and Prosecutor of the Pleas, to be voted for at the General Election to be held on the 6th day of November, 1888.

JOHN WATTS KEARNY,
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Trenton, N. J., August 6, 1888.

PRACTICAL ARGUMENT.

The unfeeling of the tariff question is producing a great result throughout the whole land. Never before was the task for so intelligently and generally understood as now, and the answer it is finding from almost uppermost the truth. Justice and protection of the Democratic party.

Mr. Bassett, of Pawtucket, R. I., an extensive woolen manufacturer and always a Republican, will this year vote for the Democratic National ticket. He says:

"If the Mills bill becomes a law it would be a great thing for the woolen manufacturers of this country.

If carpet wool is admitted free, we will be able to sell carpets in England.

I have a large trade there, but it was suspended during the war, and if the Mills bill goes into effect I will start that up again."

These in the Democratic tariff reformers constantly stated by practical authority.

Cheaper raw materials and American fabricated products would extend to the markets of the world, and under the stimulus, greater would be the demand for labor at home.

That is what England fears, and exactly what every true-hearted American should vote to establish.

A KNOTTY POINT.

"Good morning Ike, how be you?"

"Republican as a frog, Sam,' an' I hope you are the same."

"No sirree! I is used as a human."

"What about, Sam?"

"Why you see, Ike, I'm just been listenin's conversation wid Bill Brown, found dar in Front street, an he tried to make me believe dat General Hazen am de Pulitzer candidate for President an not Cleveland."

"What did you say to him Sam?"

"I told him he hadn't an inch nuther as a day old egg."

"Did you?"

"Yes! I did."

"And what he say?"

"He called me a freckled-faced rebel, whose mudder was a nigger."

"Well, Sam, I guess you'll have to settle de misdemeanor on de situation. You see Bill Brown am partly right and partly wrong. Mr. Hazelton am de candidate in de name, but—"

"But, what?"

"But Mr. Hazen am de candidate in fact."

"Don't get out. How am you gwine to run two Presidents for de same office?"

"Keep cool, Sam, you see General Hazen am a half-breed. Northern Injin, de grandson ob Tippecanoe, a big Chief ob de English Black Spots, under big Chief, in de Revolutionary war, and carpetty thought de portion dat would 'bar him from de But—"

"But, what?"

"Why we Politicians invented Mr. Harrison, and we let on de admitted candidate to run de General in, and due to run him after he gets run in. Don't you perceive de wisdom ob de deep-laid strategy, Sam?"

"No, I don't, Ike. Why didn't de Republican party nominate General Hazen himself, and let Harrison be vice in his?"

"I'll tell you why, Sam. Dey knew dat Mr. Hazen wouldn't pull through, because dey actually Democrats, and dey knew dat de Democrats would be sure to vote for dem because dey was in favor ob de administration."

"De Lawse, is my pinion you hab been reared like Bill Brown. If Hazen is a Democrat couldn't pull through. If a strong yaller dog, how can he save a Republican? Dat is a leaky argument."

"Sho' nuff. But I'm not a natural and undefended specimen which will count up for decision at de next meetin ob de Political Club. You'll be dar on election?"

"No sirree! I'se a Mollywamp, I is."

THE REPUBLICAN WING.

William Lloyd Garrison, of Massachusetts, son of the anti-slave and noted abolitionist of that name, delivered an address in a letter to the St. Louis Republic.

Where to send the Little Scholars.

Miss Kenny's school for little children at No. 9 First place, will reopen for the reception of pupils on Thursday, the 20th. Miss Kenny who is now in the Catskills, will be at home, Monday the 17th, to receive applications. Her success in the instruction of little folks is remarkable, and her terms are moderate.

Parents desiring to send their children, should make early application, as Miss Kenny limits her classes so that those shall be no overcrowding and each pupil may receive the requisite individual attention.

A Method That Promises May to Succeed.

The Redmond Seminary, 38 East Fifth street, was established two years ago last April, since which time it has been rapidly growing in popularity. Mrs. R. C. Logan, its Principal, we know to be a lady of unusual ability and experience, and admirably adapted to the discipline of the institution. Her patrons comprise some of our most respected citizens. These can be only a limited number of pupils taken this Fall. It is the intention of the management to have a separate department for boys, and a competent corps of teachers will be added to the staff for the coming year. Reading classes in elocutionary style is a feature connected with the school, and should be taken advantage of by all who wish to learn the art, as there is no where else in town where a class can have personal instruction, and by a competent teacher of "Lange Pitman" system.

We understand that the school rooms have recently been undergoing repairs of a considerable character, and are now in thorough order. Circulars with full information may be had on application. The Seminary will reopen Sept. 25.

The tragic shooting and plunge of the Granny and Turn Verein society at Kritler's Grove Monday, was a grand success. Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Weigand were crowned king and queen during the evening.

List of Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Plainfield Post office for the week ending Saturday, September 8, 1888.

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Allen, Mrs. Annie; Bohmeister, Mrs.
Allen, Mrs. Mary; Bohmeister, Mrs.
Allen, Miss Frances A.; Bohmeister, Mrs. Martha
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—On 1 for a T. M. C. A. building.

—A substantial stone walk has recently been laid along the Eighth street side of the City Park.

—The T. M. C. A. have arranged for an excursion to Rockaway Beach and Glen Cricket, on Thursday, Oct. 4.

—A change of advertisement for Austin H. Van Horn, the Newark Furniture dealer, will be found in our issue of to-day.

—The public and school children must make the most of the present week, as the Fall term of the public schools will open next Monday.

—Tuesday night's rain drenched both the wild cucumber and sour grass, and the latter will supply the farmer and sour stuff, but the former has been for this purpose.

—The Park House was sold at auction Monday for $10,000. It was purchased by the owner of Cortland Park near Dunellen, the purchaser.

—It is stated that Mayor Male is in favor of establishing a watchman in the fire-alarm tower at night, to keep a lookout for fires at dawn.

—The public schools of the city are all to have telephone connection. The contract for placing the instruments is awarded to the Bell Telephone company.

—Mrs. Harriet Case, of Church street, and son, have returned from their vacation spent at Newport and Poland Springs.

—Mrs. A. Sanzin and children of Crescent avenue, returned on Saturday from their summer sojourn at the upper part of the city.

—Mrs. H. A. Thorne of East Ninth street is confined to the house by illness. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

—Mr. F. H. Morris and family of North Plainfield have returned from Sparta and Mr. Morris's office, after an absence of six weeks.

—Mr. J. C. VanDyke and family who have been boarding at Grant Brown's, on East Second street, Monday.

—Mrs. Wm. Hoyt Voorhees, of this city, who has been visiting in the family of Mr. James Hoagland, of Bergen avenue, New Brunswick, has returned.

—Harry Compton is now daily bringing in loads of peaches, of a superior quality. If you have a good melon ask for Harry Compton brand.

—Miss Sarah Marsh, the assistant librarian of the Scudder Memorial Library, left Monday for a week's recreation with friends in Brooklyn.

—Ex-Sheriff Joseph Cortland David B. Smith, of Somerville, North Plainfield, has gone for a short sojourn at Sonora, Branch, Southern county.

—Mr. Charles Foster, Jr., and party will leave Texas, Saturday, Sept. 15, for this city, the trip, and will arrive in Plainfield about the 19th instant.

—Mr. William Shotwell, with and son and daughter, Mrs. Stewart Smith, all of North Plainfield, have at home again after spending a pleasant fortnight out of the city.

—Editor Pennell of the Westfield Standard is in the hands of the physicians, and is confined to his home in the village.

—On Wednesday he was presented by his wife with a top-pound baby boy.

—Mr. C. Bonnell Rogers who went from this city to Jacksonville, Fla., a few years ago, is among the list of those who were stricken down with yellow fever, Monday.

—Mr. Lee Dart, of this city, was among the fortunate ones who received a packet from the Patent Bureau for the week ending August 28, and received a patent for a valuable invention.

—Judge Van Syckel has issued an order appointing Thursday, Sept. 13, as the day for the drawing of the grand and petit jurors for the October term of court. The jury list is now in the hands of Judge McCormick and possibly at the usual session of court for the purpose.

Chelsea Church Reunion.

A summary of the statistics of the Chelsea Church of the United States Reformed Episcopal Church, which celebrated its 25th anniversary on Sunday, Aug. 26, 1888, gives the following interesting facts: The net gains for the past year were 1,226, and the total membership 7,261. Number of families, 1,800. Every day new 17 churches, 13 ministers, and 3,120 communicants were added to the Roll of Christendom in the United States.

Mr. Pierson Getting Well.

The Press Tuesday announced the fact that Mr. C. B. Pierson, a former Plainfield resident, who was stricken down with fever at Jacksonville, Fla., on Monday, and the following telegram from Mrs. Rogers, received Friday, will undoubtedly relieve the anxiety of his friends:

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 6 [10 A.M.]

W. J. Rolfe:
Mr. Pierson is much better this morning.
MARY E. ROGERS.

North Plainfield Presbyterian Church.

A meeting of the congregation of this church was held in the lecture room of the church on Thursday evening last for the first time since the organization of the church was perfected by the adoption of the following officers:

President—Joseph Peyton.
Secretary—Fred. Stoner.
Treasurer—John Dunn.

Trustees—Three years, Joseph Peyton, Wm. Stoner, Jr., and Wm. Dunn; two years, Fred. Stoner, Norton Smith and Wm. Stoner; one year, Wm. Dunn, Jr., Wm. Stoner and Wm. Stoner, 3d.

Deacons—Three years, Wm. Stoner, Jr., and Wm. Dunn; two years, Fred. Stoner, Norton Smith and Wm. Stoner; one year, Wm. Dunn, Jr., Wm. Stoner and Wm. Stoner, 3d.

Mr. F. W. Mason, formerly of this city, and Mrs. Mason (nee Miss Minnie Bird), are now at the home of Mrs. Mason's father, Mr. Bird, on East Front street, Northville, Mich., for the summer. They write that the heat in the forest is the worst, and that they have not suffered from it as much as friends here in Jersey.

The family of the late Gen. W. P. Davis, and especially Miss Ida Davis, his youngest daughter, by which he will be remembered by many friends in this city, will sympathize with them in their great bereavement.

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PRINCE vs. LAW.

The Notorious Lamb Knocks the Legal Lumber.

August 30 the representatives of the Lamb prosecution met again to try another case.

Prince was represented until he became sick. Abruptly jumped back with hemorrhoids, and the globule with the pill. Dentistry was there, with forceps and keys, and veterinary surgery, in the person of Prince, contributed its share efficient aid. To [illegible] Surgery department, Dr. Bennett, present and cure by Messrs. Field and Monahan.

Law had counsel, witnesses and attorneys; two facts whereof its brothers have stanched, but who are as yet unfledged.

The Lamb family had its usual representation; John, the defendant, by whom all have enjoyed the first hand with its curbs and antidotes, was unavoidably absent. In supplying this irreparable loss Law was aided and abetted by Judge Thorn.

An umpire was selected, whose name we have been unable to obtain. The sole duty of this official was to administer what "He is Faughnen's son-in-law."

The attendance was large, many ladies were present, and the sympathy of the audience with Prince was shown on the night pending their illness, than with the gentleman which could only prepare their bill and testament.

For four months Law was in the ascendant, the score being 14 to 11 in its favor. Finished with success, Law dropped its battery, and placed in the bed Borough Councilor Reed. Also! He proved a broken limb. Hymie was let loose; the judge closed his eyes, they [illegible] bid, they pursued him, until he left the ken more dead than alive, having by his wonderful delivery added 17 runs to his side account.

Law rallied in the next inning; they rolled up 9 runs, but it was useless and left the note "of the dying swan." The umpire was asked to decide the game by a score of 26 to 24, without going to bat in the last inning.

The decision caused great merriment, many excellent plays were made, and many were the errors. They would not have been taken for professionals by the [illegible] Lamb, Law, Prince, Thorn and Reed are in the market demanding large salaries.

In the words of Pliny, Forster is to be specially commended for his excellent batting, and for taking every chance offered him. Attwood and Monahan did their best and materially aided in the victory. Flynn's playing as a whole much surpassed that of Law.

Law, pure and unadulterated, was worthily represented by Mack and Heidell, who contributed considered of the runs made by its nine.

Prince, it should now be done, maintained its reputation. Its representative to the bye remembered Rip VanWinkle as a baby. Its battery, after a rest of twenty years' sleep, standing on the base which thirty years ago was its home. The activity, skill and courage of youth seemed to have returned to it. Its fielding was also worthy of its batting.

In the words of Dr. Bennett, the [illegible] Lamb was conducive to anyone, and appears marvellous in one of its years.

Law is a persistent litigant, and it has been defeated in the Supreme Court in the near future against its more successful rival, Physic.

Below is the synopsis of the play:

	innings								
	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Adams, 1b	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Reed, cf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Thorn, c	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Monahan, c	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Forster, lf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Attwood, rf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bonfield, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

—W. A. Cadmus got out, bounce. Umpire sent him to bat.

	innings								
	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Harris, 2b	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mack, ss	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Heidell, c & ss	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hunt, 1b	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cadmus, lf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wilkinson, cf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wilkinson, rf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Reed, p	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Merritt, 3b and ss	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Prince got out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out.

	innings								
	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Lamb, p	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, rf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, 1b	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, 2b	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, 3b	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, ss	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, c	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, lf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamb, cf	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Lamb, p, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out, struck out.

Umpire—Thorn.

One Result of That Speech.

Among the few who heard the Morrison Patent Tariff Speech at the Music Hall on Saturday evening, Saturday, Aug. 25, was Colonel George Anderson. He immediately went out and bet $1,000 to $800 that Cleveland would be elected on the election of Cleveland and Thurman.

Colonel Anderson is a well-known citizen born in New York who resides in Homer, Illinois. Mr. Mack is a son of Adolph Mack, proprietor of the Raritan Woolen Mills, C. L. Voorhees, proprietor of the Tea Rock House, was also a stakeholder.

Services at Trinity Reformed Church.

A large congregation greeted Rev. Cornelius Schoonover at Trinity Reformed Church on Sunday morning last. It was the first appearance since his leave of absence five Sabbath's ago. He appeared to be thoroughly invigorated and filled with the Holy Spirit, as was evidenced by the earnest, able sermon preached from the gospel of St. John. That chapter and verse from which he took his text is: "I will that he tarry till I come, what is that to thee? Follow thou me." At the evening service the pastor's growing power was displayed before such a large audience assembled, many being forced to go away for lack of room. The text of the sermon was taken from the 10th chapter of St. John's gospel and part of the 10th verse: "I am the bread of life." He presented the subject in a feeling and convincing manner, and we feel sure that all will take root, spring up and bear fruit.

The Accident and the Man.

The matter of a street railroad for this city has been before the Council on several occasions, and has been opposed to a fair extent on their part to act. Whether it is from a lack of confidence in those applying for the franchise or not, we are unable to say.

It is very certain that a street railroad is needed in this city, and if the Council should grant a franchise for the same they should exercise very particular as when it is granted. It should be given to some person who has the confidence of property owners and one with whom they have had experience and dealings. Our citizens will remember that Mr. Chas. Wagg, of North Plainfield, labored hard to introduce many valuable improvements into Plainfield—including the telephone and electric light—and succeeded. He carried on every enterprise he undertook to our citizens and we don't know of a single instance where he offended a property owner, notwithstanding the magnitude of the work he was engaged in.

If Mr. Wagg could be induced to take up the matter of a street railroad for this city, we believe that the Council could place confidence in him as former experience had; and we know that that the property owners and citizens generally would be pleased to know that he was interested in the enterprise.

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A Plainfield Lady Beats the Record.

A monkeytonger weighing 34 pounds, the largest fish caught in the N. Lake Fork river in several years, was landed on a line of ten tags by Mrs. James E. Morrill, of Washington avenue, who is visiting at Cobb Springs, Ill.

This catch has made Mrs. Morrill quite the heroine of St. Lawrence county, and the boatmen are loud in their praises of her cool nerve and skillful and successful fisherwoman of many years.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Catherine E. Schrupp, wife of Charles Schrupp of Church street, died on Wednesday, Aug. 29, after an illness covering a period of about four months. The deceased was in the 36th year of her age, and besides a husband leaves a girl in her third year and an eleven-days-old baby.

Deacon Reuben Runyon, an old and respected resident of Piscataway, died on August 29, of old age. The deceased was 82 years of age, and was both well and favorably known, especially by his older residents in this city. Mr. Runyon was a successful farmer, and had for many years past resided in the house in which he died. He was also Second Deacon in the New Market Baptist church.

Robbers on Front Street.

Pope's dry goods store, at the corner of Front and Madison avenue, was broken into last night of August 30, but it is supposed that the robbers were frightened away before securing their booty. An attempt was also made by means of breaking out the glass in one of the basement windows on the Somerset street side. The robbers evidently were provided with a diamond, a thickly learned paper was pasted on the glass so as to deaden the sound of the falling glass.

The basement of the store is devoted wholly as a carpet and oil cloth department. In conversation with a Press reporter Mr. Pope stated that nothing could not tell whether anything had been stolen or not. A pile of Turkish rugs laid on the floor, but whether or not any of them had been taken he could not tell. The store is located on one of the most prominent corners in the city, and it is surprising that more should be selected even by professionals.

Prince vs. Law.

There were no less than four of a clock gatherings last Sunday afternoon, and among them, that held under the auspices of the Friends Temperance Association to ratify the nomination of Hymie Lamb, by a ratio of attendance. Robinson Prince presided, and the speaker was Doctor Bonfield, the pastor of Asbury Park, a minister of the Society of Friends. He commenced by reading a chapter from Isaiah, and after fully commending thereon, branched off into a history of the Bible, of the Saints, and manifold evils wrought by intoxicating liquor, and urged upon all the necessity of co-operation every where in the fight for their extinguishment. Doctor Bonfield recited with telling effect several poetical writings bearing upon the subject. He spoke earnestly and well, and left the impression that he was a thorough believer in the principles of the Bible

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"DO AND DIE OVER."

The man was plotting over the manner he Would do a day but had changed his mind the next;
The woman was thinking over the manner she Would do a thing but had changed her mind the next;
The boy was planning over the manner he Would do a deed but had changed his mind the next;
The girl was dreaming over the manner she Would do a fancy but had changed her mind the next;
And all mankind and womankind in silence heard, And heaved a sigh and changed their minds the next.

A shifty business from the very forced blood— You did not succeed.

"Twas at the end of war that fools you wish, With blare of trumpet and with beat of drum; Forget your shifty business, you did not succeed.

Forget your shifty business, you did not succeed— Of getting something for a single crumb; Forget your shifty business, you did not succeed— And so, mostly thereof of all stripes, And so, mostly thereof of all stripes, Secured for you the contour of your lives— Failures, failures, failures.

Life cannot be what it has been before— The years of the "Auld lang syne," don't count.

The tryst you kept not can return no more— You cannot count it.

MARKETING IRISH MOSS.

The Process of Manufacture, the Hall, and Some Statistics.

It is believed by the lively mortals who drink Irish moss in season—that a sure evil-eye has been cast upon the Irish moss. They enjoy their glasses the Irish moss to their heart's content, and they say that the Irish moss might have said, either slowly to the bottom of the "schooner" as if it were possessed of the power to swim, or would glide down like a feather.

But that propensity to linger on the glass that is peculiar to the Irish moss is not the property of the moss. It is due to the use of Irish moss, and not to the moss itself, when large quantities of it, in the rough, are gathered every year from May until September on the rocky coast of Ireland, from Galway to Antrim Bay, the best ground being off the Scottish Baynor. There are several hundred men engaged in the work, and the value of the moss gathered annually is $100,000.

Irish moss is not only the same kind of moss that is used a dozen times from the green island, but it is gathered chiefly by Irishmen born in Massachusetts, and the moss has actually become decidedly Irish in its population, it is proper to mention the name of Irish moss, because there is another moss that is found on the island that bears the Scottish name of Carrageen

The Constitutionalist.

W. L. FORCE, A. L. FORCE,
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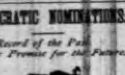
DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

Our Record of the Past.
Our Promise for the Future.



FOR PRESIDENT,
Grover Cleveland,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
Allen G. Thurman,
OF OHIO.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic voters of the State of New Jersey, and all others favoring the principles enunciated by the Democratic party, are requested to send delegates to a State Convention, to be held at Trenton, on TUESDAY, the 25th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1888, at TWELVE O'CLOCK, M.,

For the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for each 1,000 votes cast for Governor in 1886, and one additional delegate for a fraction of 500 votes and upwards.

Democratic Committees will certify to the Secretary of State the number of delegates to which they are entitled.

Trenton, Sept. 13, 1888.

PRIMARIES.

In pursuance of the call of the State Committee, the Democratic voters of the several election districts of the City of Plainfield are hereby notified to meet at the usual places of holding elections in said districts, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1888,

between the hours of 4 and 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to the City Convention hereinafter mentioned.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for each fifty votes cast for Governor in 1886, and one additional delegate for a fraction of twenty-five votes and upwards.

The City Convention will meet at the Court House, in Plainfield, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1888,

at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for City Clerk, Assessor, Collector, Surveyor, Treasurer, Engineer, Attorney, Overseer of the Poor, Coroner, Board of Health, Board of Education, Police Justice, Recorder, Constables, Fire Wardens, Fire Engineers, Assistant Engineers, Hose Directors, Hook and Ladder Directors, Fire Police, Fire Marshal, Assistant Fire Marshals, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, Assistant Engineers of the Water Works, Superintendent of the Water Works, Water Commissioners, Water Collectors, Water Inspectors, Water Meter Inspectors, Water Meter Readers, Water Meter Collectors, Water Meter Clerks, Water Meter Repairers, Water Meter Testers, Water Meter Setters, Water Meter Fitters, Water Meter Helpers, Water Meter Laborers, Water Meter Apprentices, Water Meter Foremen, Water Meter Assistant Foremen, Water Meter Assistant Inspectors, Water Meter Assistant Collectors, Water Meter Assistant Clerks, Water Meter Assistant Repairers, Water Meter Assistant Testers, 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CITY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE, THE COUNTY AND THE CITY, AND HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY PAPER PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY OF UNION.

J. A. DEMAREST, - - City Editor.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

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—The Fire Marshal has issued a permanent order prohibiting the sale of fireworks in this city.

—Several of the passenger trains on the Long Branch road were delayed by the heavy rain Friday.

—A night flower somewhat like Night Blooming Cereus has been recently noticed by Rahway people.

—Lightning struck a house on Main street, Rahway, a few days ago, and shattered the chimney.

—The Rahway river, from Little Falls to Cherry Hill, is swarming with black bass and muskellunge, and is anticipated to be a good year for fishing.

—The new house of the Rockfeller estate at North and Park avenues, Rahway, is making rapid progress. Workmen are putting on the roof.

—A young man was gathered in by the police on Saturday night for being implicated in a fight at the corner of Front and Watchung.

—It is predicted by a weather prophet that Rahway will give us several days of warmer weather than at any time during the month of September.

—The Rahway Republican Association will hold its first meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall this week, when the campaign will be opened with vigor.

—The Rahway Democratic Association will hold its first meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall next week when eight lively and telling speakers are announced.

—On Tuesday, Oct. 4, the Young People's Literary Club in connection with Trinity Reformed church, will hold its third anniversary.

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—At the regular meeting of the Park Ave. hose company, held Monday evening, in their rooms on Front street, opposite Park avenue, it was decided to have their third annual ball and reception on Thursday, Sept. 27. Further particulars will be given later.

—A new policy of the publishers appears in the editorial cards that are sometimes found at the end of the editorial page. At the end of the days and that advertised letters will be held but two weeks instead of three, notice being sent to the advertisers.

—Mooney's Block, at Cedar, corner of Front, the brick building at the east corner of Park avenue and Front street, have been decided to remove the cupola from the building, through which the electric wires of the telephone company run. The company's central office will remain in the building.

—The third annual reunion of the Park Avenue Hose Company will be held at the Central Hotel, Cranford, on Thursday evening, September 27. The music will be furnished by Prof. Sauer's full orchestra of New York. The committee in charge are hopeful to make this the most enjoyable affair of the season.

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Personals.

Mr. C. Schaeffle and wife of Dunellen, arrived home from Europe, Friday afternoon.

Miss Nettie Matthison of North Plainfield, has returned from her trip to Connecticut.

Gus Ecker, an old veteran of the late war, has been appointed a substitute mail carrier.

Miss Dora King, of New York City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John P. McIntyre, of Somerset avenue.

Mrs. Dr. R. L. Cotton of East Seventh street, is at home again, after a charming visit at Mordecai, Ga.

Mrs. E. E. Dorman, son and Miss Dorman of Central avenue, are at home from Elizabeth Springs.

Miss Phebe Mills of Door street, North Plainfield, has returned from a pleasant visit to Mordecai, Ga.

Miss Jessie Miss Marion Randolph and Miss Clara Burt, entered Wellesley College, yesterday.

Judge George P. Swyhart has returned from his two months' vacation and renewed his duties with great energy and success.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis and family have taken possession of a cottage at Lake Hopatcong, for the month of September.

Miss Christine Tawger of Brooklyn, N. Y., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Taggart of Sycamore avenue, Washington Park.

Mr. George Collins, who has been receiving a course of instruction in Germany, has returned to his home on West Fourth street.

Mr. P. F. Phillips and family and Mr. G. W. Campbell and family of Dunellen have returned from their Summer sojourn on Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schultheis of this city, are rejoicing concerning a fine boy, called from Bremen on August 26, and arrived Home Friday.

Mr. Edward Gotten, a son of Dr. John H. Gotten of Somerset street, is visiting his parents after an absence of about thirteen years in Australia.

Mrs. D. C. Green and the Misses Green of Elgin, Ill., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Upper New York State, where they have been spending the Summer.

Councilman Dunham was a delegate to the 29th Annual session of the Homeopathic Medical Society Association, held in the Reformed church at Hartlingen, on Tuesday.

Mr. C. Bennett Rogers, formerly of this city, who was stricken down with yellow fever at Jacksonville, Fla., about a week ago, was discharged yesterday as convalescent.

Mrs. H. H. Hubbard and wife of W. 5th street, started for Denver, Col., Tuesday, to visit their son, stopping on the way at Washington, Baltimore, Chicago and Kansas City.

A sale of paper flowers for the benefit of The Children's Home, will be held during next Wednesday afternoon, at Odd-fellows' Hall, by Mrs. Mary L. Evans and Miss Genevieve Daniel.

North Plainfield will this week lose two of its finest admired residents in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schenck, who will take up their residence with Mr. J. L. VanNoste, of East second street.

The many friends of Dr. George W. Endicott will doubtless be glad to learn that he has so far regained his health as to be able to resume his business cares. The doctor's health gained rapidly during his stay at Atlantic City.

Dr. H. J. Carroll of North Plainfield was elected one of the vice-presidents at the annual convention of the Homeopathic Medical Society Association, held at Somerville on Tuesday. Resolutions were adopted favoring local options.

Through the indefatigable efforts of Mrs. Dr. Marsh, the women's room in Music Hall have been greatly improved. The Manager and Proprietors can Matter have done much to remedy this defect, and the result of their labors is now apparent.

Miss Emma Morand of Troy, N. Y., and Miss Sarah E. Doan of Muney, Pa., have been engaged to succeed Miss Kotchkiss and Miss Burt as teachers in the Bryant School Building. The ladies secured upon their duties Monday morning.

Mr. John C. VanDyke of this city, and a former resident of Somerville, N. J., for 7, has been appointed Quartermaster of the First Regiment, New Jersey U. S., K. of P. The appointment was made by Major General Stryker, of Trenton.

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Kissing Machines; Change in Our Public Schools.

At a meeting with the action of the Board of Education, classes will be opened in the Washington, Bryant and Franklin schools for the admission of children of five years of age. Kindergarten principles will be taught in these schools. The crowded condition of the schools before this has not permitted the instruction of those under six years of age.

Death of Mr. J. V. Marsh.

At the home on Door street, North Plainfield, on Thursday morning occurred the death of Mr. J. V. Hand, for many years past a resident of the Borough. The man was taking against some of the ailments which afflicted with for a long time, but the immediate cause was a stroke of paralysis. A few years ago he was kicked by a horse and badly injured, and it is thought that he never fully recovered from the injuries he received.

Well Done!

Willard T. Marsh, son of Mr. Seymour Marsh, of Plainfield, has been appointed Postmaster at Sopris, Colorado.

Young Mr. Marsh is the head accountant of the Colorado Coal Company, which owns and operates the town of Sopris, near Trinidad. The appointment is a great compliment to the worthy young man who has resided there for the last year. He is of steady, industrious habits, and feel sure his young friends in Plainfield will join us.

Attention! 10th Regt., N. J. Vols.

The following is the programme for the reunion ceremonies of the veterans of the 10th Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, to be held on the 18th of September, at Woodbridge, N. J. Let all in this neighborhood steadier to roll-call:

Business meeting at 10 A. M., sharp.

Roll Call at 12 M.

Reunion at 2 P. M.

1. Reception by the township committee of Woodbridge.

2. Reception by the Commander of Berry Post, for the Post.

3. Reply by Col. John C. Wildrick and Dr. Ogden, of the 10th.

4. Presentation to Capt. Martin, by Dr. H. R. Styles of Yeddress, Warren county, N. Y.

5. Address by Rev. Dr. J. M. McNulty.

At 4 P. M., a short parade of associates, Posts and citizens.

At 5 P. M., refreshments and camp-fire. At 7 P. M., dismissal.

Mrs. Cass $1,000 Richer.

The Plainfield Electric Light Company *dept.*, at settled the suit brought against it by Mr. Thomas B. Brooks and wife, by paying $1,250. The suit was brought for damages to Mrs. Brooks, who was killed by upsetting of her carriage on July 3d last. The carriage was upset by the company's wire across Central avenue at Fifth street. The wire was down when Mrs. Brooks' horse took fright and threw her out. The limb was severed by the action of the Seventh Day Baptist church, who at once notified the company.

The company's lawyer advised that the company was not liable. Mr. Brooks offered to settle for $1,000, but the offer was rejected his actual expense. This offer was declined. By advice of Craig A. Marsh, Mr. Brooks brought suit for $5,000 damages. He claimed that the company was in default in not guarding the danger after notice. The complaint filed by Mr. Brooks made eight type-written folios of law. This was served by Sheriff Glasby about a fortnight ago. As above stated, the company Sept. 6, paid $1,250 to settle the case. Nine counts of law were presented, but the damages rendered were minor.

An Appeal for the Children's Home, to the Ladies and the General Public.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:—Fresh from our Schools for next our ladies gathered on Thursday, Sept. 6, with willing hands and glad hearts to take up our work for the Children's Home. We were pleased to learn from our Treasurer's report that when our August bill were paid we should have but twenty-six dollars to our treasury. We have a few bequeathed monthly pledges of ten dollars each—due in November—but besides this amount we have no visible means of support for a family of thirty-one, of whom twenty-four are children. For a few of these a nominal board is paid.

We ought to be broke, this Fall, some very necessary but not very costly, repairs to our homes. We are sure that the good people of Plainfield will not suffer this work to stop for want of the few wing of means to carry it on. We have all confidence in Him in whose name we work, and in the friends who have never yet failed us. We appeal to the ladies and the generously to any statements of our urgent needs. In this extreme perhaps some of our country friends will send us some vegetables, or a few pounds of meat, or ten dollars each—due in November—but besides this amount we have no visible means of support for a family of thirty-one, of whom twenty-four are children. For a few of these a nominal board is paid.

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Sunday Afternoon Fire.

Sunday afternoon was the time selected by the local firemen and Standard of the new Mr. Mary's Academy school at the corner of Smith and Liberty streets. A severe rain storm prevailed throughout the day, however, and at the appointed hour St. Mary's Academy Father Smyth announced that the meeting would be postponed until Sunday afternoon next. It is expected that Hon. Wagner of Newark, will be in attendance.

A Narrow Escape.

Abraham Coope, a contractor employed at the South paper works, was seriously injured while at work Friday forenoon. The man was leaning against some of the timbers when the supporting wall was let in motion, catching his right arm at the elbow. The arm was badly cut and bruised.

The unfortunate man was taken to Dr. Hedges' office where the wound was dressed, and later he was admitted to Muhlenberg Hospital, as the doctors in charge considered, dangerous. Next morning the patient's arm was fearfully swollen, and his condition was not improved.

The Contest Between Plainfield and Elizabeth Championships.

The interest in the coming contest is daily increasing. The list of entries have been augmented by the following gentlemen: Robert Hamilton, H. M. Lowth, F. L. C. Martin, Howard Martin, George Sanders, E. T. Wilson.

The medals will also be on exhibition at G. A. Clark's, H. P. Runyon's and F. J. Miller's drug stores. It is thought that a fourth medal, valued at $6, will be added to the three gold ones. The medals will be presented on exhibition by Monday or Tuesday of next week.

Half of the grand stand will be reserved for ladies and children, for which admission will be 25 cents, and the grand stand 25 cents extra. The proceeds will go to pay off the Bicycle Club's debt.

Annual Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of this city, took place in the W. C. T. U. rooms on West Front street, Monday afternoon, and was largely attended by the members of the Union. Mrs. J. W. Yates presided at the meeting by request, and also conducted the devotional exercises. The report of the Treasurer, Mrs. E. Frost, was read by Miss Yates, and that of the Treasurer was read by Mrs. W. B. Mason. Other reports were read as follows:

Sunday School Work, Mrs. M. I. Cooley; Kitchen Garden, Flower Mission, Miss Whitfield; Evangelistic Work, Mrs. H. H. Bell; Local Legion, Mrs. P. H. Bechett; Sabbath Observances, Mrs. S. R. Brown; Press Work, Mrs. W. McNaddin. Verbal report on Bible reading by Mrs. Zilw Winter.

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The annual business meeting for the election of officers. Mrs. Dr. T. H. Tomlinson was elected temporary chairman and Miss Yates Secretary *pro tem.* Before proceeding with the election Mrs. Kimball led in prayer. The chairman announced that the election of 4 President was now in order, and that the present incumbent, Mrs. Geo. F. Ogelvie, had declined to serve further, as her physician had refused to allow her to engage in any public work. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson.
Rec. Secretary—Mrs. Mary E. French.
Cor. Secretary—Miss Ida C. Yates.
Treasurer—Mrs. Mary E. McNaddin.
Vice-presidents—Mrs. Helen M. Eaton, Mrs. A. C. Baldwin, Mrs. George H. Babcock, Mrs. Dr. Hedges, Mrs. Dr. Johnson, Mrs. Asa Dilts, Mrs. George F. Ogelvie, Mrs. Dr. Tomlinson, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Wm. Broadway, Mrs. E. V. Stockwell, Mrs. M. I. Cooley, Mrs. H. H. Bell, Mrs. Dr. Gifford, Mrs. Dr. Griffiths, Mrs. Francis Wood, Mrs. C. E. Fox, Mrs. Dr. Fisher, Miss Nettie Haviland, Miss Clara Whitfield.

City Council Meeting.

The City Council met in special session Monday evening, with Pres. Marsh in the chair. The roll call showed the following other Councilmen present: Messrs. Bowers, Clark, Dunham, Glines, Moffett and Stockton. Mr. Wm. Hann was absent. On the roll call, Clerk Leonard read the call, which was for the purpose of paying certain claims against the city for repairs to sewers, gutters and crossings, and for other purposes, and for other department claims; also to receive and act upon the report of the Clerk with reference to official bonds and numbering and assessment maps. Claims were presented and referred as follows:

For street work—George M. Angleman, $1,025.25; Wm. Wilson, $1,625.55 and $20; John E. Voss $25.75.

Police—T. J. Carey, $75; P. J. Flannigan, $60; P. Lynch, $60; Thos. Cahill, $60; Chas. Conner, $60; F. B. Fine, $60; T. McCue, $60;

Poor—S. R. Coddington, $6; Chas. McCarthy, $4; Jas. Dean, $4; Mrs. Morris, $20; Jas. McGinley, $5; M. A. Cooper, 24; B. Gutman, agt., $12; Jos. Hanaken, $30; H. Hackett, $6; W. H. Tudor, $10; Mrs. Ann Hall, $21; M. C. Kelly, $2; K. Conway, $1; K. Eitinger, $4; E. Daily, $4; A. Farino, $4; S. Webster, $1.50; J. S. Daily, $5.05; Mrs. Mary Hollard, $4; Mrs. Ann Hall, $4; Jas. Dean, $24.16; Hatfield Bros., $21.07; T. J. Prader, $4; Hospital, $27.

Fire Department—H. M. Sherwin, for No. 2 Engine company, $28.56; F. A. Glaenster, $2.40; W. S. Slitter, $15; Jacob Hilsen, $12.50; John E. Voss, $41.85; Chas. H. Smith, $13.71; T. O. Dunbar, $91.56; E. Leine, $18.75.

Salaries—C. A. March, $187.50; Geo. M. Angleman, $60; O. B. Leonard, $60.

City Clerk Leonard then reported as follows, submitting claim of $600 for the work:

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Sept. 6, 1888.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, appointed by your Honorable Board to designate and number the lots in the several blocks on the maps of the city, respectfully reports the work performed and the manner in which the duty has been executed in the accompanying index, separate maps, memoranda and numbers. The whole number of lots numbered is 4,000, and the number of blocks is 1,000.

The lots thereby numbered parts of the city are numbered from the intersection of the two main streets, Front and Second, and run from 1 to 100 in each, commencing the number from the corner of the block nearest the intersection and designated by a street number, as 1 Front street, 1 Second street, 1 Park avenue and 1 Watchung avenue, and so on around the block, and thoroughfares, a street number has been affixed.

O. B. LEONARD.

Councilman Bowers offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the report of O. B. Leonard on the numbering of the lots in the several blocks and various lots in this city, as submitted to the Board of Common Council at this meeting, be received and the accompanying maps be accepted as the official maps of the city, and that the thanks of the Common Council be tendered to the said O. B. Leonard for the faithful manner in which he has performed the duties assigned him by this Board.

Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Clerk be and they are hereby authorized and directed to affix their respective signatures to said maps.

The above claim of City Clerk Leonard, was upon motion of Mr. Dunnell, referred to the Street Committee.

The various Committees reported back all claims referred to them during the meeting, and they were transferred to the Auditing Committee.

The Auditing Committee returned the above bills with the committee's approval, and they were ordered paid.

Council then adjourned for a week.

Off for Cleveland.

Messrs. Sqnerer G. Smith and Charles Smith of this city, two crack shots of the Middlesex and Club, started Monday in company with several other well known rattling shots from the same club, for Cleveland, Ohio, where they will participate in the grand Chamberlain Cartridge Company's Tournament this week, in which the prizes are large.

The boys have not lost both gentlemen shot a score at nine rocks on the Middlesex Gun Club grounds. Mr. S. G. Smith broke 89 out of 100 from three traps, although his score was made previously and next to the last was 88 out of 100. Although Mr. Charles Smith has had but very little practice at live rocks, his score made on Sat. day, and forwarded to Cleveland, Ohio, 79 out of 100, shows that the Dutch can shoot a little even in a heavy rain. We wish the boys a hearty "God speed" in making grand scores at the tournament, and to see them come home loaded with ducats.

They Rode on the Second Express.

A party of youths ranging in age from seventeen to twenty years, from South Plainfield, attended a picnic in the city on Labor Day, and when they returned home they had a rousing time. Proof in evidence of a fistic encounter. Broad bands of mourning encircled their optics and their lips were swollen out so as to resemble a horse collar.

The boys were not satisfied with the treatment they received at the picnic, for the next evening the crowd congregated in front of the saloon at the corner of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and started for a ride up and down the road. The car was got into under headway and the motorman stopped when it struck a fat car with a crash. The boys were tossed about promiscuously, and all of them were more or less injured. The car was wrecked.

Friday a Lehigh Valley Railroad official went to South Plainfield and obtained the boys' names.

The Court Proceedings.

Edmund Butterworth, a machinist, who claimed Philadelphia as his residence place, was arrested by Chief Carey on Saturday, and was arraigned before City Judge Sayham at the station house, on Saturday evening, the prisoner pleaded guilty and was fined $5.

Ralston Titus, a farmer living in the Valley, came to town on Saturday, and traded most of the results from a load of peaches for liquor. In front of a Park avenue saloon he met Mrs. Dr. Fisher, down in a basket of tomatoes. Officer Babbitt escorted him to jail. When arraigned at the bar Titus pleaded not guilty, as was afterwards found. He was finally adjudged guilty and fined $5.

Charles Boughtieufauns, a late resident in Snijer alley threatened to take the life of Mrs. Mary Hunter, a few days a week ago, and suddenly left the city when he learned that the police were after him. Sunday he returned, and was apprehended by Officer Babbitt. He was brought him to headquarters. Monday Judge Sayham told the prisoner that he would adjourn the hearing over until Wednesday, and if he would leave town and remain did not move out of the alley by that time, he would commit him for 90 days.

Local Sports.

Plainfield is to be entertained with an "All Around Championship" contest—the result of the individual labors and ambitions of Mr. Herbert W. Bell, the secretary of the young men of the city interested in athletic sports, and the endorsement of the Plainfield Bicycle Club.

The following will all participate, and ordered with which the winners will be rewarded; the Plainfield Cornet Band has been engaged for the occasion, and the date has been fixed as Saturday, Sept. 29.

The idea of the contest is to bring together the many athletes of the city in a friendly contest in which they may not only may be more or less skilful. It is not being possible to award trophies to the various events, and therefore they will be given—five to the first, three to the second, and one to the third. At the conclusion of the programme, the three contestants who have the highest number of points each will be presented with costly medals as first, second and third prizes.

Problem Competition.

The following will all participate, and in some of the different contests, and the names of others may eventually be added:

Marion S. Ackerman, Roger Murray,
A. L. Avers, Charles Mead,
H. C. Bell, Joseph Everett,
W. H. Bell, W. O. Smith,
J. P. Murray, Frank Ackerman,
J. Kerry Dunn, Daniel Adams,
Herbert W. Bell, Morrison Fox,
F. E. Stivell, Fred. Walz,
Howard Reynolds, Howard Hamilton,
W. Eitz, Frank Martin,
John W. Murray, Jr., M. W. Dalzell,
Edward Bell, Frank Richardson,
Duncan Morgan, John Drayton,
Frank Bell, Jr., Frank Bell,
Charles Sanford, Herbert W. Post,
Warren S. Burt.

Rules.

The requirements and regulations governing the "All Around Championship of Plainfield, New Jersey," are as follows:

Rule 1.—Every subscriber of fifty (50) cents and over shall be admitted to the competition; if to be an amateur in good standing.

Rule 2.—Only residents of Plainfield New Jersey shall be allowed to subscribe.

Rule 3.—The first three competitors who shall have made the 5th or highest score shall be announced the 1st, 2d and 3d prize respectively.

Rule 4.—To avoid an unfair advantage all ties shall be decided by a toss. As the first prize is the highest, he who shall receive 5 points, the loser 3 points, the competitor taking the second place in the event where a tie occurred will gain 1 point.

Rule 5.—The events shall all be from the scratch.

Rule 6.—The hundred yards dash shall be the first event. The winners shall run in the final. Competitors winning score 1 and third place shall run a heat, the first and second to run in the final. If the circumstances of the track will permit, the first three in each heat will run in the final.

Rule 7.—All disputes of any nature in regard to the competition shall be referred to the Referee and his decision shall be final.

Rule 8.—Competitors shall qualify in the events in which they contest before being allowed to score.

Rule 9.—To qualify the competitor must make the following scores in the events named: 100 yards, 12 seconds; 440 yards, 60 seconds; 1 mile, 3 minutes; 1 mile 7 minutes; running high jump, 4 feet; putting the shot, 36 feet.

Rule 10.—Competitors in passing an opponent must do so by passing always to the right. Any interfering with opponents will forfeit the race.

Rule 11.—Positions on the track and competitors in heats shall be assigned by drawing or casting lots before the race.

Rule 12.—The right to reject any entries shall be reserved.

Rule 13.—These Rules shall be subject to amendment by a vote of the organization as a whole.

The contest will take place on the track of the Plainfield Driving Park, and the judges and timers will be members of that Association. The secretary of the Plainfield Athletic League will run from the city to the track. If the day is stormy, the event will be postponed until the next fair one. Entries to each of these contests made are to cost about 50c, and will be on exhibition as soon as finished. Entries will be received by Mr. H. W. Post until Saturday the 22d inst. The right to reject any entry is reserved.

Real Estate Transfers.

Purchases in real estate in North Plainfield Township have recently been made as follows:

Aug. 30.—Caroline A. and Samuel Hudson to Caroline A. and Wm. J. Hudson, property in North Plainfield, $600.

Sept. 7.—Alfred I. Smalley et ux. and Newton B. Smalley et ux. to F. Hughes, property in North Plainfield, $600.

Ladies' Training Class.

The Ladies' Training Class will hold a preparatory meeting on Wednesday, the 19th, at 4:00 o'clock in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., for the purpose of organization and consultation regarding the day and hour at which the regular meetings shall be held. The lessen plan for the season will be presented and a full attendance is requested. The ladies will be detained but a short time at this meeting.

In Fear of Her Life.

Rudolph Leseal and his family, Italians, eke out a miserable existence in the rookery in the rear of Plainfield's furniture store on East Front street. Monday Mrs. Leseal appeared on the streets crying and attracting the attention of pedestrians. She said her husband was at home wild with rage, that he had broken most of the scanty furniture over her, and had also stabbed her several times on the hand. The woman said she wanted her husband arrested, and was told to lodge a complaint against him before the City Judge. She signified her intention of so doing.

School Men Begun.

The familiar tap of the school house gong was heard Monday, denoting that the vacation season has come to a close. The boys and girls have had a good time, no doubt, during the ten weeks of freedom from school and books, and they ought to knuckle down to the school work which is before them, or else there will be laggards. Many of the boys will feel that they have not had as much fun in the fishing pools or upon the ball grounds as they ought to have had, and now will hear them grumble and complain over the fate that compels them to attend school at all, but probably some of them will be heard denouncing the men who first invented schools and who printed so many hard lessons to be learned. For all of these we must remind a liberal application of "hickory oil," to be administered by their able-bodied sires in the woodshed at home, where their howls will not disturb the quiet of the town.

At the High school Monday, there was a large attendance of visitors. Principal Miss Bulkley, occupied her accustomed place, and after a few remarks addressed to the scholars, welcoming them back to school. Miss Bulkley alluded to her recent trip to England, and to the high education of "hickory oil," to be administered by their able-bodied sires in the woodshed at home, where their howls will not disturb the quiet of the town.

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Vests to match at	$2.50 and $3		
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Starting Service in Mid-Summer—Why they Leave Home—Their Camp Life—Sunday Sabbaths—Ignorable Little matters ever Encountered.

"It is a great pity that Ed Van Winkle lived so long and instead of it in the age," said a Woodstock lawyer, as he sat on the piazza of Woodside Lake, the other day watching a party of guides and their boats as they left the two big steamers with the baggage of a fishing party from the city. "Ed was the last of the picturesque victims of poverty and a stove that he was by could have written an interesting book about the habits and character of a mountaineer himself. He passed here with a party of guides and I noticed how they looked at him.

The remark was probably truthful, for a dozen men, who were worthless as farmers or as handicraftsmen of the Woodstock order, are in their element as guides. It is not very much like work, except in his love for the dog and gun. When the guides are asked about their occupations they generally call it very frankly a "business." It is one of the writer's quirks to use one of such and continued prosperity, though it is not without its uncertainties and drawbacks. The Woodstock guides are usually sons of farmers or lumbermen, who have been brought up in the living woods. They begin to fish for trout in the streams when they are boys of ten years, and, before they are able to hold a gun of stand they have been provided with an old flint-lock musket. By the time they are fifteen they are ready to be taken into a camp as a stranger. They often the guide kills the deer, and the sportsman only gets the credit. The stance of boys of tender years killing a deer are rarely recorded. Stanley Thomas of Bluff Point played his first deer when but 11 years old; Johnny Jones counted one with his mother's rifle when but 13 years old, and Sid Sandy, at 16, had killed his dozen deer. Boys who have had such experience in the woods are ready to be taken into the camp as a city boy would fail to waiting from City Hall to the Battery in May time.

But learning through the woods without getting lost is one of the least of the accomplishments of an Adirondack guide. More than that, they must be expert sportsmen, and must know how to shoot and to paddle a canoe. A week ago Will Lamb, one of the oldest who passed them. Hanged on the running when he was helping his log to the lake, started for the Bixby Club ladies to begin his season's work. He had a large stock of canoes and assortment of fishing tackle in a pack basket, and a double-barreled gun on his shoulder. Every country store, in the Adirondacks, keeps a stock of fishing tackle and guns, and the guides are usually supplied from this source. They begin to fish for trout in the streams when they are boys of ten years, and, before they are able to hold a gun of stand they have been provided with an old flint-lock musket. By the time they are fifteen they are ready to be taken into a camp as a stranger. They often the guide kills the deer, and the sportsman only gets the credit. The stance of boys of tender years killing a deer are rarely recorded. Stanley Thomas of Bluff Point played his first deer when but 11 years old; Johnny Jones counted one with his mother's rifle when but 13 years old, and Sid Sandy, at 16, had killed his dozen deer. Boys who have had such experience in the woods are ready to be taken into the camp as a city boy would fail to waiting from City Hall to the

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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic Convention of the State of New York met at Syracuse on the 12th inst., and renominated Governor David B. Hill by acclamation. The platform adopted indorses the administration of President Cleveland, and declares that the Democratic party is the party of progress and reform, and that the Republican party is the party of monopoly and corruption. The Democratic party is in favor of the reduction of the surplus by the reduction of the tariff, and declares that the Republican party is responsible for the present high tariff. The platform also declares that the Democratic party is in favor of the free coinage of silver, and that the Republican party is responsible for the demonetization of silver. The platform also declares that the Democratic party is in favor of the free coinage of silver, and that the Republican party is responsible for the demonetization of silver.

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Third Congressional Convention met at Red Bank, N. J., on the 12th inst., and renominated Hon. John Kean, Jr., by acclamation. The platform adopted indorses the administration of President Cleveland, and declares that the Democratic party is the party of progress and reform, and that the Republican party is responsible for the present high tariff. The platform also declares that the Democratic party is in favor of the free coinage of silver, and that the Republican party is responsible for the demonetization of silver.

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WAR PAINT.

In Minnesota there is an organization known as the Farmers' Alliance, most of whose members have heretofore voted the Republican ticket. Like the Knights of Labor, they are opposing the Republican party this year, and are the result. Republican State Convention a resolution was offered in behalf of the Alliance, which read thus:

"We protest against the alliance of any political party with any secret political organization. We are opposed to the introduction of partisan politics into our organization, and we will not support any candidate who will use its political influence as a party or standard authorities. For instance the following:

"Unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation."

Our Government is the creature of the people, established by them and under the control of the people. It is a government of the people, by the people, and for the people. It is a government of the people, by the people, and for the people. It is a government of the people, by the people, and for the people.

THE PRESIDENT.

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REPUBLICAN LOSS SINCE 1884,

1,356.

We hail with pleasure such "political revolutions" as that. Applied to the West, Mr. Cleveland will there carry next November four of the States which went against him four years ago.

Democratic gains on total vote of 1884 in Maine 2,047.

Where are those Democrats Mr. Blaine accused last harvest against the Mills bill?

Echo answers—Waiting to vote in November for

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TWENTY-FIVE TO SEVEN.

Some five years ago a Republican President, at the instance of Congress, appointed a Commission to thoroughly examine into the Tariff question. The gentlemen thus commissioned being considered experts, declared duty by pushing investigation all over the country and abroad, and after a long and laborious examination reported to the Committee on the various schedules and industries.

That commission, raised under Republican auspices, made a report, of which the following is an extract:

"Early in its deliberations the Commission reached the conclusion that the present reduction of [illegible] is demanded, not by a considerable but by a very large majority of the best informed persons engaged in the various industries of the country, including that which has its principal seat in the State of Pennsylvania, and that the preservation of our national interests [illegible] such a measure of justice [illegible] and [illegible] to the general welfare and [illegible] to the general welfare and [illegible] to the general welfare

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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

[Illegible] A. M. [Illegible] P. M.

Mrs. T. H. Brower returned on Saturday from a trip in upper New York State.

Miss Minnie Brooks of West Seventh street, will enter school at Garden City this week.

Mr. Irving West, of this city, son of the late Charles S. West, entered Yale college on Monday.

Mrs. Kate Hall, of Bronx, left last week for Pueblo, Col., where she will remain for several days.

Mrs. Estelle D. Dillman of Woodcliff, N. J., is visiting her mother, Mrs. D. C. Hall.

Prof. Castle's band serenaded Mr. J. B. Miller, at Long's Hotel on Saturday night. The musicians were "invited in."

Mrs. J. Morton and Miss Bessie Morton of East Front street, have just returned home after a three weeks' visit to Boston.

Mrs. E. E. Hires and daughter, Miss Lizzie, of Philadelphia, are expected to-day, and will visit relatives on West Fourth street.

Mrs. C. V. Guilleary of Peace and Second streets, entertained a ten-pound baby girl at her home on Saturday, Sept. 15th.

Mrs. Caleb Dickinson, and daughters, Misses Nellie and Mary, of North Plainfield, are enjoying a visit to relatives near Flemington, Hunterdon county.

Miss Fannie Whitfield of this city, accompanied by Miss Taylor of New York, are spending part of a few weeks sojourning at Far Rockaway.

Mr. John F. Huntsman, Jr., of Provincetown, R. I., is visiting his brother, Mr. J. E. Huntsman of the Central Press Association.

Mr. P. J. MacAndrews the night operator at the depot is again at his post of duty, after a day's vacation at White Haven, Pa.

Mr. T. L. Hazell, arrived home Monday, we are told from a vacation of two weeks spent at Jim Slatter's Maine, fishing, hunting and boating during the latter part of the time.

Owing to sickness in her family, Miss Keeley will remain at Statesville, N. T., where she has been for the past few weeks, is ordered to postpone the reopening of her school for little children, until Thursday, the 27th inst.

Mr. Charles Bradley, of Craig place, has returned home, but his neighbors following him in the good work of laying new sidewalks. There are two sidewalks, despite the fact that the law says that there should be notice up and down each sidewalk laid.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Nellie Draper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel E. Hollister Draper, of Crescent avenue, to Mr. August William Klobedanz, formerly of this place, but now of Orange. The ceremony will take place at Grace Church, Orange, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 26, at seven o'clock.

Mr. William Hardy, librarian of Trinity Reformed church Sunday school, has accepted a position as librarian connected with the C. & O. Tea Co. Mr. H. has been a faithful officer of the Sunday school, having been absent but ten times in the last two years he has held the office.

Mr. Charles W. DeGroot, for the past twelve years, a trusted and courteous clerk in the employ of Mr. J. Boden the East Front street dry goods merchant, has severed his connection with Mr. Boden, and has joined Mr. Seeley Brown's corps of salesmen at Dunellen. Mr. DeGroot has a host of friends in this city who wish him success in his new undertaking. He is thoroughly familiar with the wants of the people of Dunellen and Bound Brook, and we feel sure that Mr. Brown will be congratulated upon securing such a trusty and competent employe.

Mr. John B. Cregg of Lafayette avenue, has been appointed Deputy Comptroller of the Travelers' Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn. Mr. Cregg has been with the company for the past seven years, and has filled the position of Cashier of the Accident Department for the last two years. Mr. Cregg's many friends will be pleased to learn of his promotion, which is a practical recognition of the fact that he is a thorough master of insurance in all its details.

Sunday in Various Pulpits.

Sept. 23, a big yellow and vigilant sheriff belonging to Mr. Wm. Pudney of East Front street, will be on hand to welcome the arrival of the new baby daughter of Mr. I. E. Howard. The little girl was playing with the dog at the door, and the sheriff was playing with the baby, and each party was enjoying the fun as much as the other. The animal managed to snap at her and one of its long teeth penetrated her arm to a considerable depth.

Dr. Baldwin's skill was at once sought, and the wound thoroughly cauterized. The danger was from exposure at once, and from hydrophobia at a later day. The child will suffer somewhat before the wound is healed, but nothing like the fear to which it will be subjected if the dog should be mad and bite her.

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BANNER RAISING AND FIREWORKS.

The first gun of the political campaign was fired by the North Plainfield Democratic Tuesday night, the occasion being a grand raising and public demonstration, under the auspices of the Cleveland and Thurman Campaign Club of North Plainfield. At half-past seven o'clock a handsome banner, the gift of the ladies, was unveiled on Somerset street, while rockets and shells were sent up from a platform erected for the purpose. The Citizens' band in uniform was present, and added attractiveness to the display.

The display of pyrotechnics was superb, and is spoken of as something unprecedented during the present campaign.

After the banner raising, the assemblage repaired to the hall, where the meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mr. Wm. Hatfield, who introduced with flattering words Messrs. Bunnell and Jack, who were elected from Mr. William Pangborn's company, the latter of the "Jack" of the famous "Jack and Jill" combination. The building proved inadequate to meet the demand, and a number gathered on the outside, and were accommodated in groups in the open air. Speeches were made from the windows and doorways in the crowded boards.

President Perley of the Cleveland and Thurman Club called the meeting to order. He said: "Friends and neighbors, you are invited here to ratify the nomination of Cleveland and Thurman, and to endorse the platform adopted by the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis. In the name of the Democratic Executive Committee of North Plainfield I call this meeting to order and name Mr. John Thickston to the chair, and acknowledged his appreciation of the honor conferred upon him.

Mr. Thickston made a brief address, and the following resolution, together with a list of the Vice Presidents, was read:

September 18, 1888.

The Cleveland and Thurman Democratic Club of North Plainfield, in the organization of which we take pride, adopt the following resolution passed by their fellow Democrats, and by those residing in the adjoining districts, at the time of the National Democratic Convention and Democratic mass meeting held in this city:

Resolved, That we most cordially approve of the action, principles and platform of the nomination of President Cleveland, and heartily endorse the same, and that the whole country requires that he should be given a second term of office, and that the Democratic party should be returned in charge of its destiny and thus him to re-elected.

We warmly commend the nomination of Allen G. Thurman for Vice President of this country, as that of an honored Democratic statesman, and one who is eminently and highly qualified in every way to adorn that office and be worthy and in succession to the first office.

We give our hearty endorsement to the platform adopted by the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis, and we pledge ourselves to support the nominees and platform declared in the same.

Mr. Thickston then introduced the following gentlemen, who addressed the meeting in succession:

Mr. Bunnell, Mr. Jack, Mr. Bunnell, Mr. Jack, Mr. Bunnell, Mr. Jack,

JUST BEFORE.

THE POEM OF TODAY.

A MIGHTY QUEER PLACE

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A Look Into the Shops of Hawks and Leaders Despite an Ironclad Order of the Superintendent—Odors of the Sunday Restaurant—Where Women Congregate.

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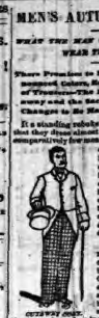

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Our Record of the Past. Our Promise for the Future.

FOR PRESIDENT
Grover Cleveland,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
Allen G. Thurman,
OF OHIO.

DEMOCRATIC.

Colonel P. A. Collins, the distinguished Democratic Congressman from Boston, during a recent able speech, declared in New York said:

"The Democratic party, as a party, and united in many a battle, has never been defeated. Whenever it has been defeated, it has been through the treachery of one-half or one-third of its political organization. It was defeated by Whig and Know Nothing combinations. They are all dead."

That is a truthful eulogy upon the party of Democracy, and it is a historical political history.

In spite of the most determined and often unprincipled opposition, the Democratic party has lived and prospered, and never before enjoyed a stronger hold upon the confidence of the people than it does this very day.

Why did it not go to pieces along with other political organizations?

Because they dallied with doctrines unpolitical, while it honestly adhered by the chart of authentic principles.

Democracy, staunch and strong, sails boldly on-ward.

No case any of our enemies were hard enough to study or read.

President Jefferson, in his first inaugural address, said these words—"A wise and frugal government, which shall restrain men from injuring one another, which shall leave them otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and which shall take from the mouth of labor the bread it has earned. This is the sum of good government, and is necessary to close the circle of our felicities."

He spoke Jefferson, the founder of the Democratic party, eighty-seven years ago, and as now does that party stand by follow his broad and patriotic advice.

To give the people the blessings of another upon good government, and to protect the fruits of industry and labor from the exactions of unjust taxation, and from the plundering grasp of monopolies and Trust conspirators, is the purpose of the Democratic party and it will battle on that line until victory is won. Falsehoods, brought point successfully, cannot drive Democracy from the advocacy of Justice, Freedom and Truth.

THE SURPLUS STARING.

The "surplus," which calamity Prest dent Cleveland's message will terminate the nursery.

The surplus in the Treasury on the 31st of August was over $[illegible],000,000.

The current [illegible] added to the gigantic mass of the Government by $10,000,000 per month. The extensive appropriations of the present session are due to extravagance or extravagance. They should not be, and will not be, by the next Congress.

There is no "relief" to which the surplus can be applied. No bonds fall due until 1892, and they would be met at maturity by the sinking fund.

To prevent a scarcity of money the Treasury is buying those bonds at a high premium. And that is the policy that Gen. Harrison would continue.

If the people wish to be taxed to pay high premiums to bondholders and big bounties to protected monopolists they should vote for Harrison. If the want the surplus stopped and the money left in the pockets of those who earn it they should vote for Cleveland.—N. Y. World.

PLACE WHERE THERE A MISTAKE.

In the Republican platform adopted at Chicago, we find the following:

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Now, the Democratic party, in its platform adopted at St. Louis, in Thursday evening, Sept. 6, Rev. Dr. Joseph Cook, of Boston, and Merrick Joseph, of Chicago, both old-school Republicans, addressed a Free-Trade meeting in Saratoga, N. Y. Mr. Johnson in particular was quite severe in the abuse of the Chicago platform. The Democrats, he said, had made a fair and honest attack on Dr. Jackson's plan to hire a "Secret Democrat" and a "free trader in disguise."

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Dr. Johnson's reply:

To the Editor of the Saratogian.

In ordering goodly to the Democratic platform adopted at Chicago, I have not endorsed and indorsed the "Home of the Free Trade" and its Kentucky," you are pleased to say. "Our opinion is, that when you go to write Harrison John, you will be compelled to write Free Trade Democrat." Mr. reporter reports me the word" you are not correct in the matter. I have not to the public, but it may not be amiss to say that I am, and have ever been, a free trader. I came to think of the subject when I was a boy, and have ever since been a free trader. I was a friend of Professor Gaylord and Professor Fisher and McCulloch, whose authority in matters of finance and currency will be quoted when the names of Democratic Republican, and many of whom are in official power, are having a wholesome effect upon the minds of the people. And I feel free to say that I am in accord with the Republican platform of 1860, which four years ago gave to the world "protection to the products of the soil and labor of the United States," and which declared that "the policy of protection is the best means to this end."

In the address it was my privilege to make to the Democratic meeting in the Opera House I said:

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—Now is the time for the committee to put his best foot forward.

—The Sisters of mercy are already engaged in teaching the children in the new Parochial school.

—The members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society will give a social and hop in the Opera House, Monday, Oct. 15th next.

—Bad weather has struck the colors in the North Plainfield Republican's pocketbook, and they are on the run.

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The Annual Meeting of the Plainfield Steam Club.

This Friday evening the members of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, and invited guests of other local organizations, will meet at the club house on Park avenue. We are informed will attend those of past years. The line will be formed in front of the Club House and will start at 7:30 o'clock sharp. A lunch will be furnished with barbecue flavor of course by supplying of the Club House, between 7 and 8 o'clock. Then will follow a grand parade by the entire club, after which a grand dance will be tendered to the visiting members. Participants are requested to report at the Club House promptly by 7 o'clock.

Line of March.

Up Somerset street, to Fifth street, to Watchung avenue, to Madison avenue, to Rockwood avenue, to Madison avenue, to Rockwood avenue, to Madison avenue, to Front street, to Grant avenue, to Central avenue, to Fifth street, to Plainfield avenue, to Park avenue, to Second avenue, to Somerset street, to Dudley's building, where the line will break and disband.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wharton Edwards are back from Muskegon Island, Mobac.

Mr. A. W. Fish and family of Franklin place have returned from the Potomac.

Jos. J. Cochran, the noted Essex oarsman, was in town of Mr. C. H. Davis on North street, Sunday.

Mr. Peter F. Wyckoff of North Plainfield has taken possession of his new house on Orchard place, this city.

The marriage of Mr. Roger Murray, of this city, and Miss Herbold, of Dunellen, will be solemnized the next month.

Rev. Father Smyth, pastor of St. Mary's church, is taking a week's vacation along the shores of the Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kent or Green Pond, Morris county, N. J., were married Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. James Bentley of West Third street.

Mr. S. J. Hoffman of this city, has been appointed one of the executors of Mr. Edward Lowry Elizabeth Wall Paper warehouse at 55 Broad street.

Mrs. Charles Brown, of North Plainfield, has returned from her Summer trip, and is now occupying her new home, lately built on Prairie avenue.

Mr. Thomas Carty of Orchard place, had a beautiful eight blooming cereus in bud Wednesday evening last. The bud was admired by many of the neighbors.

Borough Councilman McCutchen has returned from the duties of his office, and is now attending to the ball field above this days ago, as to be able to ride out.

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Mr. Charles Kent, the celebrated author, who now paints church steeples and gilds their spires without scaffolding, for a small consideration, has taken the temperance question as a period of thirty-five years. He also quoted Dr. Hall, in regard to the rum, both spiritual and temporal, brought under his remarks, objection as a period of thirty-five years. He also quoted Dr. Hall's opinion of the liquor traffic as nefarious. Mr. Kent has reunited, polished and repolished the slate on all the leading sinsprees in Brooklyn and New York.

In answer to a special request the choir sang the beautiful hymn, "Hand working by and Wait." After which the pledge was administered to a few persons who came forward. Doctor Ketchum then pronounced the benediction.

The Annual Meeting of the Plainfield Steam Club.

This Friday evening the members of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, and invited guests of other local organizations, will meet at the club house on Park avenue. We are informed will attend those of past years. The line will be formed in front of the Club House and will start at 7:30 o'clock sharp. A lunch will be furnished with barbecue flavor of course by supplying of the Club House, between 7 and 8 o'clock. Then will follow a grand parade by the entire club, after which a grand dance will be tendered to the visiting members. Participants are requested to report at the Club House promptly by 7 o'clock.

Line of March.

Up Somerset street, to Fifth street, to Watchung avenue, to Madison avenue, to Rockwood avenue, to Madison avenue, to Front street, to Grant avenue, to Central avenue, to Fifth street, to Plainfield avenue, to Park avenue, to Second avenue, to Somerset street, to Dudley's building, where the line will break and disband.

FRANK L. C. MARTIN, Captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sebring intended a surprise to many friends and relatives at their new home, on West Front street evening Sept. 20. The presents were numerous and costly. The evening was made unusually enjoyable with readings, recitations and music. The guests departed in the wee hours of the morning wishing Mr. and Mrs. Sebring a happy and prosperous life.

Births.

A quiet ceremony took place at the residence of Justices S. D. Kenny on West Fifth street, evening Sept. 20, the contracting couple being Mr. Robert Milton Crowell of this city, and Miss Frances Augusta Weaver of Union, N. J. Rev. Archdeacon Rodman of Grace church, performed the ceremony, according to the prolonged Episcopal mode, in the presence of about fifty of the relatives and most friends of the bride and groom. The bride wore a dress of white cashmere and carried a high grade. The newly wedded people took a drive in the P. M. train for a brief wedding tour.

The Axe Fell Will Content.

Friday morning last the sheriff of the Union County Court, President Judge Barkin and associate Judges Thompson and Jameson in the Law and Equity Court House at Elizabeth, and Ann Vail and the bank of her property to her husband, Edward Vail. A caveat was filed by Lydia Ann Rose a sister, who claims that by reason of the testator's advanced age, 90 years, and feeble health (having had a stroke of paralysis) she was incapacitated from making a will. The caveator also claims that the will in question was the result of undue influence on the part of the sister of the deceased, Mrs. Vail. The case was examined until day was Andrew Condit's counsel, and the further hearing of the matter was adjourned until October 12, next.

Messrs. James A. Codington of this city appeared in support of the will, and the Hon. Aleah A. Clark of Somerville, and James H. Englis, Esq., of Elizabeth, for the caveator.

A Golden Anniversary.

The silver anniversary of the wedding of Susan Darling and Elmore D. Moffett, that took place at their home on Orchard place, Friday, Sept. 21, 1863, was largely attended and a most enjoyable affair. Mr. and Mrs. Moffett are very hospitable people with hosts of friends, and the occasion was very successful in every particular.

The presents of solid silver were numerous and costly. Rev. Mr. Mabbett, who is Assistant Comby Clerk, received a very elegant testimonial from his companions in the office at Elizabeth, in the gift of a handsomely lined tea-set, a swinging tea pitcher with silver and gold-lined goblets; there was a silver lamp, clock, fruit stands, spoon holder, butter dish, water pitcher, engraved card basket, butter patties, napkin rings, castor-holder, quantities of fancy spoons and knives, not forgetting a flower stand, super cloth, glove holder, and some handsome baskets of flowers, and numerous other articles of which space will not permit mentioning.

A beautiful supper was spread during the evening, and thoroughly appreciated by the large gathering which were present the following: The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lowry, the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, the Misses Yerkes, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pig, Mrs. J. M. Taylor and Miss Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schoonover, Miss Lizzie Darling, Miss Ida Williams, Miss Sarah Wyckoff, Miss Emily Van Nest, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Connett, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Runyon, Mrs. Dr. Stillman and Miss Gilson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilson, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Smith, the Misses Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Sprigler, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Taylor and the Misses Taylor, Messrs. Robert Lowry, Jr., James Field, Mansfield Duckworth, Lewis Barkalew, Aaron Mc-Donough, Howard Hoagland, and many residents of this city, besides relatives and invited guests from Brooklyn, Jersey City, Elizabeth, New Brunswick, Westfield and Somerville.

The Methodist Conference Between the P. R. R. and the N. Y. C. R. R.

To the Editor of THE PRESS:—In a recent evening's issue of another paper, I read a long article about the Sunday afternoon meeting that the Methodist body held in the Reform Club rooms and the W. C. T. U. rooms. As one knowing something of the affair, I would like to have a word.

The W. C. T. U. ladies have been, until recently, holding their meetings in the Reform Club rooms. They did all in their power to help along the cause of temperance work, giving their time and money toward fitting up the men who were using the accursed stuff, by which so many homes have been ruined. The ladies had be put up with a great many things, but never was a word said. They were working for God and humanity, and had not time to stop at little hindrances which would inevitably come in their path. I think the writer of that article will find that the Reform Club is one of God when he wrote it, but, then, I am not to judge.

The Reform Club will remember that the ladies have done a very kind, little thing toward furnishing the Hall, and did it willingly; never murmured or complained, supposing that all was working smoothly together. It is evidently a fact that the Reform Club does not hold up the Rock Christ ladies above whom they have been working evenly for the women preach that Christ is the only one that can save them.

Nevertheless, let this be as it may, the ladies have decided to go help their friends financially and the Reform Club was asked recently, through a communication, if it could let them have the Hall they needed it very much, their treasury being in a depleted condition. Not a word was received from them, so they took it for granted that it would be let out.

Now, this is the exact state of things, and consequently they held their meeting in the Hall, and not in the Reform Club rooms. The Reform Club undoubtedly thought it was very good for the women to leave them in that way.

Dear Mr. C. T. U. ladies, are earnest and faithful as any organization existing, or where you will. They are Christian women of God's ordered type; they need the support of every Christian man and woman in this grand work. Their meetings Sunday afternoon are very much enjoyed by those who attend, and I, like Pat Riley, am going to do it again. There is no "sticking" in their motions. They read just what they have to say, and then they are gone, leaving a good impression behind them. Then, after the meeting, and when first dismissed, the whole number of the house remained, and when first dismissed, the whole number of the house remained, and when first dismissed, the whole number of the house remained

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A WOMAN'S HAND.

I AM a model sleeper. With a clear conscience and a healthy constitution it is no wonder that I am a man to be distinguished on his bed. But that morning I awoke suddenly two hours before my usual time. I was not dreaming of anything. I thought it most certainly half o'clock at the earliest. I had not been disturbed in my berth, and held up with under the glimmering light of the lamp my watch. Certainly it was half o'clock. I put it to my ear, and glanced on and down the car. No one was entering; and from the porter was in the car, he was not visible. I turned over a little, turned over and tried to go to sleep; but this pulsed stimulated my eyes, and I felt most comfortably arranged then. The air was close, and I felt a desire for fresh air; ah a spring to keep my eyes shut a few minutes, but I got up and rolled up the window.

The air outside looked keen and engaging. The wind, which was blowing, was not violent enough as it came perfumed and pure. The sky was clear, and studded everywhere with stars. The moon was low, but seemed to be rising for one last look as so beautiful a landscape. Many times I had seen it under the same glimpses of the night; at the moment of the night, with its two peaceful lines running into infinity, like a bound on the trail, with the moon in the sky, and the stars glittering. Mine natural. On we flew. The low rumble of the wheels, and the roar of the springs beckoned our speed.

I lay back on my pillow, thanking fortune for such a fashionable opportunity of dissecting the lovely city, as the sun on the other side of the car. I had a full view of the curtain at the back of the berth, pitied the pillows and sheets, and the bed. I'd feel good and comfortable, and wondered the effect of the bright streaks of crimson which were now beginning to shoot up from the east would have on the valley-designer.

I was not conscious of my morning toilet, as far as I could notice, the apartments were nearly in their usual order. I'd put my coat and vest to the porter, namely my smoking apartment, and did not leave it until my return. I'd left the car in the springs undisturbed. I'd left the car in the springs undisturb

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FARMER TAXATION.

The greatest of all industrial interests in this country is that of Agriculture. The farmer toils to feed the people, and the larger portion of our federal expenditure is for the benefit of labor.

If any branch of domestic industry deserves protection it is the farmer's.

How much does he receive?

Virtually nothing.

The tariff tribute gatherers have been selling the farmers that quack very extensively upon a home market made by the war debts.

The fog is lifting.

The farmers, especially those of the grain-growing West, are fast getting their eyes open to the necessary deception so long played upon them.

They find that on various articles they pay almost every necessity of life and the implements of labor, and that on the products of labor, such as the staples of agriculture, the price is fixed by the markets of the world.

Wheat, for instance, the leading cereal of the United States, is governed by the London market price of its farm-grown staple production, wheat, corn and meat, are fixed in England.

The Western farmers are pretty discerning chaff rebels.

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Kneels down and prays on a carpet taxed 31 per cent.;

Rests his weary limbs on a sheet taxed 45 per cent.;

Covers himself with a blanket taxed 44 per cent.

And wakes up at midnight with a violent headache, caused by trying to solve the Republican party doctrine that the way for a free American citizen to become rich is to allow himself to be taxed right into them.

THE PROHIBITIONISTS.

The Republicans are finding that the third party Prohibitionists can neither be enjoled nor driven from the support of what they say the Republicans are Democrats, down to be right principles and sound policy, have commenced a war of Montrose, which, the old simile attempts, will only result in damaging the assailing party.

We have before us a letter from Georgia, signed by one of the Prohibitionist leaders, the full and free right to form a political organization, and to nominate candidates, and advocate such measures as to them may appear expedient and proper.

That they have done, and it ill becomes any other party to object.

What better method can there be for the Republicans of the United States than either the Republican or Democratic parties?

Not a question.

The Republicans, following their usual programme, recently started a false report that General Fisk had or was about to withdraw from the Presidential race. That the General denies in the most emphatic manner.

Then they next asserted that the Prohibition party will consult Israel, Republican reports to the contrary, and the result of that election will be that the vote Fisk will not overshadow the last.

General Fisk also gives the Republicans and comfort by saying where the Prohibition party stands on all tariff questions, as follows:

Exactly where the Republican party stood four years ago, and where the Democrats stood after—in favor of a re-adjustment of the tariff. The Republicans were caught napping and that is all there is to it. It is ridiculous to say that Arthur, Grover Cleveland and myself have come out for some ill-advised cutting a machine. It is a necessity, and it is in no sense a question of principle or degree or proof to be settled.

HERETIC HOUSE.

Mr. George W. Childs of the Philadelphia Ledger is a gentleman of wealth and influence, and a leader of Republicans. He is thoroughly familiar with public men and political affairs, and not being a single-hand partisan, he gives credit to whom credit is due. Mr. Childs is an impartial observer, and hence judgment upon what he honestly believes to be the truth, and therefore his utterances are entitled to respect and confidence.

In a late issue of the Ledger Mr. Childs thus spoke of President Cleveland:

Cleveland's Administration has been free from official scandal; has been honest and clean. There has been no Star-route robberies, no War Department corruption, no post-office frauds, no Credit Mobilier, Whiskey Ring, Tammany or Sanborn contracts, or speculations, no corrupt operations in connection with the Land Office. No Administration has ever been more free from scandal. It has been a model Administration, a business one, a safe one, and one that has given a remarkable example of economical government, by increased efficiency and by many economies.

What a great contrast and how true.

"An honest and clean Administration."

And a few days ago in the same issue of the same journal, he further remarked:

President Cleveland maintains that dignified attitude in respect of his candidacy which has characterized his conduct since he was nominated. He has not written letters, says nothing, by inference even that he is a candidate. He attends faithfully to the ongoing duties of the high office, and appears to give no thought to the matter of re-election in which he is one of the two principal figures. His Administration continues to afford the most probable crush of his political opponents.

"An Administration that climbs the wave-on promise even of its political opposition."

Because the President faithfully absorbs his official duty.

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The Republican leaders are of a wild mind if they think the workingmen of this country can be made to swallow arrant falsehood for truth.

The tariff question is not a thing unknown to the sons of toil. It has been thoroughly and intelligently discussed in the presence of labor all over the land and upon the basis of solid facts.

The hypocritical cry of "free trade" is the braying at the moon. Labor knows it as the wise invention of desperate politicians having no sound argument to sustain their course.

At Assembly of Knights of Labor in Philadelphia recently met the vital issue by declaring:

WHEREAS, As textile workers we have for years felt the evil effects of a tariff that for the benefit of the few has been unjust to the many, depriving us of opportunities for work and reducing our wages; and

WHEREAS, The present tariff laws operate to the detriment of the laboring people and the party framed protective them upon the falsified assumption that it is for the benefit of labor, but for the benefit of capital, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of L. A. 3,000, of Philadelphia, do hereby protest against the continuance of the present tariff laws, and demand the passage of such legislation as will bring prosperity, steady work, and better wages to every industrial worker in the country.

That action perhaps the real character of the Mills or Democratic Tariff measure.

It is conservative, productive, practical and strictly just. In the language of Speaker Carlisle:

With cheaper raw materials the cost of production will be reduced, the consumption increased, there will have a wider market for his products, the laborer will have more constant employment and the consumer will obtain his supplies at lower prices. To abolish these taxes is also to surely cut down the surplus.

THE VOICE OF INDEPENDENCE.

The Independent Republicans are actively engaged in various sections of New Jersey in organizing clubs in support of Tariff Reform Clubs, and making public their views relative to that vitally important national question.

Though a large and live organization of the kind in Orange, and a still larger one in Montclair, from whose vigorous address to the voters of that place, signed by nearly one hundred of the very best citizens, we have published, we extract as follows:

The Mills bill was passed by the House, lowering the import taxes on many kinds of every day necessities that the people must have, and on raw materials for many new materials for many clothing, houses and other things that no civilized people can do without; while the bill was so carefully and scientifically guarded by making the reduction of duties slight and leaving the cost of their raw material, that no injury could be done to any industry. The best in the country. The Republican Campaign Club" of work for the sake and the party that have dared to leave their pensions and to leave the Democratic party in support of Grover Cleveland, their great landlords, the champion of the people against the selfish greed of the few, is needed, everywhere; and in Montclair the Independent Republicans, well satisfied with the results of 1884, have organized a "Tariff Reform Campaign Club" to work for the same

CITY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE, THE COUNTY AND THE CITY, AND HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY PAPER PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY OF UNION.

J. A. DEMAREST, - - City Editor.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Close—7:45 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 9:00 p.m.

Mail for Staten Island closes at 12:30 p.m. Open every day in the year. Sundays, 9 to 10 a.m. Money Order Office open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sundays 9 to 10 a.m.

W. L. FORD, Postmaster.

—The Post-office building is to be painted.

—M. C. A. building.

—Several changes of advertisements will appear in the next issue.

—The Dunning Society will be postponed to the fifth week owing to the rain storm.

—A collection amounting to $35 was taken up at St. Olive Baptist church on Sunday evening for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers.

—The annual meeting of the Plainfield Relief Association will be held in the Council chamber on Friday morning, Oct. 5, at 10 o'clock.

—A. L. Stone, the famous base ball pitcher, will preach at the Young Men's meeting at the M. C. A., rooms, Monday evening next.

—At the close of the morning service in the Congregational church, Sunday, $125 was contributed to help certain people in the church property.

—The first Sabbath day in Plainfield by carrier, was the same interesting event that it has been heretofore, and there was no difference to be noted.

—The Rev. Dr. Ketchum and daughter have left the Park House and are now at the Dudley House, No. 1 Madison avenue, where they are most happy to welcome parishioners and friends.

—Rev. Monday Freeman of Trenton who has been called to the pastorate of St. Joseph's church, North Plainfield, has taken up his residence there.

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—A. C. L. S. U. Circle will be formally entertained by the parishioners of the Congregational church, and a meeting for that purpose will be held at the church parlors this evening to-night o'clock.

Through the City's Gates.

Mr. Samuel Feldman, the courteous and bright baggage master at the depot, was arrested by the police, on Monday evening, for selling liquor. He was fined $50 and one of the indictments in town. The Press extends congratulations.

Mrs. Charles Hunt of North Plainfield, gave a party on last Monday night. At a meeting of the Genung and Terry Young Society, held Tuesday night, three hearty cheers were given for the ladies and a vote of thanks tendered for the latter's prompt and pleasant manner of entertaining. If the gentlemen had been present to participate in the feast, they would have voted for Cleveland this Fall.

Through the Rotary.

There was a large attendance at the regular weekly meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club, at their rooms, Monday night. The subject for discussion was "Lenses," and the instruction of the members in their correct pictures by demonstration in practical work. The meeting was very interesting and full of enjoyment. It was decided to have a public exhibition of the club's work, and a large and representative one is expected. It is the intention to have a public exhibition every month, and it is hoped that members will bring their work to these meetings. The exhibition will be held in the club rooms, No. 12 Park avenue, which are to be handsomely furnished for the purpose.

Election of officers for the ensuing year will occur at the next meeting of the Camera Club, and it is desirable that every member be present. The following officers are to be elected: President, Secretary and Treasurer. Any person desiring to join the club is to give a club's class act on the Camera Club.

Floral Performance Awarded.

For the first time in the history of the New Jersey State Fair at Waverly, Annie M. Van Horn, of Newark, was awarded the only first premium given for floral work. For this premium was awarded six silver medals by the judges for his respective display.

Wanted a bride! The exhibit of furniture made by Annie M. Van Horn was the best ever made by her at the State Fair, and she looks for a husband as an appropriate result. Such an artistic oak bed-stead Mr. Van Horn was awarded a silver medal. He received also a silver medal for an antique oak bed-stead, and a silver medal for a parlor suit of tapestry covering; a silver medal for a tapestry parlor suit; a silver medal for a fine upholstered chair, and a silver medal for a fine writing, bedroom, and dining table. Annie is proud of the result, and will be easy to.

Taking Advantage of Their Generosity.

Mr. Wm. Thompson, of Central avenue and Sixth street, and Mr. Charles A. Nelson, of Front street, are two generous gentlemen who have a host of friends. Yesterday five of the relatives and other friends of the contracting parties. The bridal party formed a group in the parlor, and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Lewis according to the prescribed rites of the Episcopal church.

After the wedding Ethel Rodine, the little granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reed was christened, after which the bridal couple and the bridesmaid were seated at the table, and the party partook of. The gifts were of a high grade, many of them coming from England. Mr. George Crook and Miss Ethel Rodine will afterwards reside in Newark, where the groom is a successful civil engineer. Wilson and the bride will spend their honeymoon in Canada, after which they will return to this city.

A bit of fortune is to be enjoyed with the wedding festivities, for the gentlemen noted with point lace, tulle veil and diamonds. She carried Cheshunt of Napoleon roses, the whitest flower in earth. The maid of honor was white silk, ornamented with tulle, and diamond ornaments. Sprays from their arms by white satin ribbons, and they carried bouquets of Cheshunt Marechal and Marechal Niel roses.

Mrs. Rogers wore lilac satin with point lace, and diamonds, and her sister, Mrs. Nelson, white silk en train, with point lace, and diamonds of the groom, wore black silk and point lace. Among the others present were Mrs. Harry Draper in white satin, with point lace; Miss Draper in white silk; and Miss Dayton in black silk; and Miss Ewing, in black silk. Miss Wheeler, of New York, in black lace and pearl ornaments.

Owing to the illness of the bride's aunt, it was impossible to have a formal reception, the relatives and connections, however, calling at the house. The bridal party, after the ceremony, repeated their sincere congratulations to the groom and their wishes for the bride, and said good bye before the happy couple left on an evening train to New York. A supper was also served at the house.

—The election this year occurs on November 6.

Concert at Mount.

The Tenney Brothers with the Boston and Bridgeport Quartette, promise now to be the finest entertainment beyond doubt. The dates are near at hand, but not ascertained will be Nov. 5, Dec. 6, and Jan. 24. Those who wish to subscribe should send in their names at once to the treasurer of the music course in Dunellen.

Sunday School Convention.

A Union Sunday School Convention of Middlesex was formally opened in the parlors of the Congregational church, in the church parlors on Monday evening. The new officers were elected, and the following officers were elected as follows:

President—Rev. G. L. Goodrich.
Vice-President and Treasurer—Rev. W. R. Wadsworth.
Secretary and Treasurer—Miss. F. M. Burnet.

Post Office Box Rents.

The increase in the rental prices of the post office boxes is not due to the action of the Postmaster General, but to the action of the Washington has duties vested of the matter, and ordered the change in the prices, as the following circular shows:

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE
ASST. POSTMASTER GENERAL,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21, 1888.

Sir:—Your attention is hereby directed to section 3 to constitute the following schedule of rental prices for boxes in your office, to take effect on the first day of October, 1888, at 50 cents per quarter; box boxes at $1 per quarter; box drawers at $2 per quarter.

Very respectfully,
Hon. JOHN WANAMAKER,
Postmaster General.

Postal Notes Not Yet Issued.

Tuesday evening Sep. 25 at The Netherwood, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Miller gave a reception and party to a number of their friends. The ladies and gentlemen were in full evening dress; the tables were spread in the dining room; the music was sweet and the Netherwood is noted for, and the service was perfect.

The hostess, Mrs. Frank E. Miller, looked handsome in a black satin dress. The lady guests were: Miss Anthony in white silk; Mrs. J. Monroe Brown, white satin and gold; Mrs. H. E. Bowen, black satin; Mrs. Dr. Bonnell, black silk and velvet; Mrs. F. C. Purdy, of New York, white lace; Mrs. Lodlam, pearl silk; Miss Wheeler, white tulle. The gentlemen included Messrs. F. E. Miller, H. E. Bowen, Charles Sprague, T. C. Purdy, J. J. R. Pollion, Mr. Ludlam, Dr. Oakes and Dr. Odea, Jr.

Assault on Justice Brokaw.

About 5 o'clock Friday morning, eight operator George Summers, and Dispatcher Albert Cushing, who are employed by the Central Railroad Company of the Bound Brook depot, discovered two men in the grocery store of Messrs. Alpaugh & Rent, directly opposite from the station on Main street. The two railroad employees hastened to the spot, and surrounding the building, demanded the burglars to surrender. The latter escaped through a back door, and ran down a side street, hotly pursued by Mr. Summers and his companion.

Seeing that their flight of the burglars turned and fired four shots at his pursuers, one of them striking Mr. Summers in the palm of the hand. After a run of several blocks the fellow was caught and apprehended and taken to the station. That morning they were committed to the Somerville Jail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

An investigation of the store showed that an entrance was effected by forcing open a window. The robbers were disturbed before they had time to secure much booty. One of them was a boy, apparently about fourteen years of age, and the other a man about twenty or twenty. They were poorly dressed, and were evidently tramps. The shooting was done by the boy, who carried a revolver and was well equipped with burglar's tools. When searched the men were found to have a quantity of cigars in their pockets, which they said they had gotten in Plainfield.

Too much cannot be said in praise of night operator Summers, who followed the retreating burglars after he had been shot in the hand. It was he, also, who discovered the robbers in the post office at Bound Brook about a year ago, and was instrumental in bringing one of them who is now serving out a term in State Prison. The other one, supposed to be "Winkie" Quinn, escaped in the Raritan river, and was either drowned or escaped.

Klinkhoff Repeat.

Long before the ceremony began, Grace church was crowded to the doors on Sep. 26, with the best people of this and other cities, gathered to witness the marriage of Marie Elizabeth Bergen, elder daughter of Mrs. H. E. Hollbrook Bergen, of Crescent avenue, and August Wilhelm Kleinecke. Every seat was occupied, and the ushers had to seat numbers of the guests standing room in the aisles for the bridal party. The walls were lined with spectators, and from the outside hundreds tried to witness the service through the windows.

The altars and reading desk, were banked with golden rod, fragrant clematis, and wild blackberry vines. Mrs. W. A. Freeman was the organist, and she thoroughly entertained with her selections, the impatient assemblage. A large number of ushers were in attendance, and the circles of this city's best society that the bride has graced, and in the gathering were noticed many representatives of the wealth and most cultured families.

The bridal party was headed by a surpliced choir of eighteen boys that entered the church by the side door, up the side aisles and down the centre to the chancel, singing the wedding march from Lohengrin. Following were the ushers, Messrs. Frederick Angell, Henry Tompson, Tompson and E. V. Hedges, M. D.; the maids of honor, Miss Louise Depew, sister of the bride, and Miss Rosa Bergen of Philadelphia; and the bride on the arm of her grandfather, Abraham S. Bee, Esq.

At the altar steps the bride was met by the groom accompanied by his best man, Mr. T. H. McCandless, of Pittsburgh, whose engagement to the bride's sister Miss Bessie Bergen, has been announced for some time past.

The ceremony was performed by Archdeacon Redman, according to the prescribed rites of the Episcopal church, and was very impressive.

The bride never looked fairer. She was beautifully attired in ivory white satin Rejeance, with court train, trimmed with point lace, tulle veil and diamonds. She carried Cheshunt of Napoleon roses, the whitest flower in earth. The maid of honor was white silk, ornamented with tulle, and diamond ornaments. Sprays from their arms by white satin ribbons, and they carried bouquets of Cheshunt Marechal and Marechal Niel roses.

Among those present were:

Elizabeth—Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll, Mr. P. Sheehan, Mr. E. W. Tuttle, Mr. Tompkins and Miss Gates, Mr. and Mrs. H. Stewart, Miss Mattie Brown, Miss Nellie Brown, Mrs. John H. Dunn and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Wright, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Wilson Stewart, Mr. Harry Stewart, Mr. Jonathan Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stewart, Plainfield; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Force, Miss Christine Morgan, Miss Lillie Chester, Miss Bertie Chester, Miss Lillie Chester, Mr. E. Sutphen, Miss Nellie Dunn, Miss Emma C. King, Miss Lizzie Dunn, Miss May Nevius, Miss Ida Nevius, Mr. Max Dunn, Miss Minnie Force, Miss Mary Sutphen, Mr. Theo. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wilbur, Mr. Bert Demarest, Mr. Chas. Sutphen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutphen, Miss Force, Mr. A. B. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Dunn.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

The regular October meeting of the City Council was held Monday night, with President Marsh in the chair. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 o'clock, and the roll call showed the following committees present: Messrs. Bowers, Clark, Dimond, Dunham, Erickson, Gimm, Mellott and Wilbur—10. Messrs. Squier and Wilson were absent. The Clerk read the minutes of all the meetings from July 2—regular, special and adjourned. Under the heading of the presentation of petitions and communications, the following were presented:

Bonds supplemental for certmen's, petition for a sewer on Somerset. Referred and subsequently granted.

From Walter Scott and others, for sewer-vault at Fifth and Richmond streets, and another to intersect the same at the South crossing. Referred to the Street Committee.

From John F. Fleetwood, with map accompanying the petition, asking the Council to vacate certain lands lying between Park lane and Belvidere avenue, known as Dunn's Pond.

The matter was referred to the Street Committee, and at a later stage in the proceedings Mr. Dimond, from above committee, reported that he had petitioned and stated that inasmuch as the city has never accepted that avenue, it was deemed inexpedient to do so, except it. He also offered a resolution to that effect, which was adopted.

John V. Berdine asked permission to erect an addition to his store on the north side of East Second street, said addition to be about 20x30 feet in dimensions, and to be covered with corrugated iron. Referred to the Fire, Water and Lamp Committee. This petition was returned with the committee's disapproval, and it was not granted.

A communication was read from Peter Flynn, Jr., tendering his resignation as inspector at the Fourth Ward polls. The same was accepted, and Michael D. Flynn was elected in his place.

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were presented and referred as follows:

Poor—Chas. Hummel, $6; Mary J. Hall, $7; B. B. Cole, $7; Jas Dunne, $6; Mrs. A. Parker, $4; Jas. McGinley, $2; Mrs. Mary Cooper, $3; Mrs. Mary A. Cooper, $2; J. O. Sedyer, $4; Jas. Cahill, $4; M. C. Mahon, $17 50; Mrs. Cahill, $4; Mrs. Mary Cooper, $3; C. B. Van Winkle, agt., $4 50; P. B. French, $34 50; Relief Association, $73.

Miscellaneous—Johnson Bros., $107.75; Plainfield Electric Light Co., $72.41; W. S. Bird, $62 50; James J. Co., $14; George P. Dorr, $1; Journal, $6 40; Mary J. Hall, $6 50; W. M. Stillman, $30; T. W. Morrison, $43 20; F. A. Dunham, $20 and $7 62.

Fire Department—T. O. Dunn, $41.66; Wm. Hall, $15.00; A. A. Woodruff & Co., $28 20; John E. Tone, $41 66; W. S. Bird, $2 50; Journal, $2 10; John Cox, $11 25; Louis Bell, $1 50; Chas. Spencer, $14 30; Pres. Nat. Bank, $495.

The reports of the Treasurer, Collector and Chief of the Fire Department were received and filed.

City Judge Sayden submitted his report from July 2 up to date. It was as follows:

The number of parties brought before Hall and Police Justice Sayden, and City Judge's chamber, was 40. Of this number 36 were fined. All of the fines have been paid with the exception of two, one of which is dead, and the other will pay his fine. Several were committed to the County Jail. Two were reprimanded. Upon four sentence was suspended, and one was discharged. The cases disposed of were known at the time. $183 were received from fines; $21.60 was paid to the Chief of Police and Marshal for services; $10 for some fees, taking prisoners to Elizabeth, etc., leaving a balance of $150.40, which amount has been transferred to the City Treasurer, the same having been received for the same.

WARNING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Erickson from the Fire, Water and Lamp Committee, reported adversely on the above petition of John Berkaw. The committee recommended the petition of Mrs. B. Dunham for a hydrant be erected at Fifth street and Madison avenue, presented at a former meeting. The petitions for four extra lights in Third and Fifth wards, and one in the Plainfield avenue, which were referred to the committee with power at a previous meeting, were granted.

The committee also returned an report the Electric Light and Fire Department circulars, reported adversely on the petition of Mrs. B. Dunham for a hydrant be erected at Fifth street and Madison avenue, presented at a former meeting. The petitions for four extra lights in Third and Fifth wards, and one in the Plainfield avenue, which were referred to the committee with power at a previous meeting, were granted.

The committee also returned an report the Electric Light and Fire Department circulars, together with a gas bill, $68.75, presented and referred at a former meeting, all of which ended into the hands of the Auditing Committee.

Rule 30 was suspended to allow one member of the Fire, Water and Lamp Committee to report back as correct claims presented during the evening.

The Finance Committee disapproved the claim of M. Stillman, and also disproved the other claims referred to said committee.

Messrs. Wilbur, from the Police Committee, returned with the Committee's approval the bills referred to them during the evening. The latter also reported on the petition of Franklin place property owners, with reference to macadamizing that thoroughfare, the property owners agreeing to pay 15 cents per lineal foot toward the payment of the same. He said that similar petitions had been received from other parties, but the funds were not sufficient to warrant the committee could not consistently undertake the work. The committee recommended that the petition be granted when the city treasury a sum equal to 15 cents per running foot, that the Street Committee purchase stone and have the same delivered on the city's regular list.

The Street Committee reported on the matter of a street railway, and the report was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Bowers read an opinion that either motor power or compressed air was preferable to horse cars, stating that in his judgment if the city authorities should make application, the Council would grant them a franchise.

A resolution by Mr. Dumont directing the Treasurer to transfer to the Sewer Fund any money paid in in payment for operating sewer on East Second street and Putnam avenue, prevailed.

The Street Committee reported an ordinance to provide for the licensing and regulation of peltes, cartmen, hackmen, etc., for consideration and ordered engrossed and advertised.

A resolution by Mr. Dimm authorizing the Mayor and Treasurer to discount a $2,000 30-days' note for $1,800 to meet taxes, the same to be placed to the credit of the General Fund, was adopted. The treasurer was also directed to transfer, temporarily, $650 from the General Fund to the Fire Fund.

The President called attention to the fourth avenue sewer delinquents, and the Clerk was instructed to notify such delinquents that unless they pay up within ten days their connection with the sewer will be severed.

Mr. Bowers offered a resolution to the effect that the Chief of Police confer with the Central R. R. authorities with a view to have no loitering on the railroad bridges. The resolution was adopted.

The following bills were made a report on the 5th inst., referred to them and the claims were ordered paid by warrant.

Council adjourned at 10.30 p. m.

—Where the Lost Parade Was.

Mr. Geo. Frazee wishes us to state as his answer to the citizens who missed the torchlight procession of Friday last, that "he was detained back there up in the woods in one Hack."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TELEPHONE COMPANY!

SPEAKING CONNECTION WITH OVER 13,000 SUBSCRIBERS—PROTECTION FROM FIRE AND BURGLARY—PLAINFIELD, N. J.

Central Office cor. Front st. and Park ave.

Name.	Address.
Adams Express Co.	North ave
Amer. C. P.	18 Crescent ave.
Anthony, Alfred H.	108 Broadway
Anthony, Alva S.	Netherwood.
Arbuckle, J.	Park and North ave.
Atlantic Express Co.	Park avenue.
Atlantic Mutual Ins. Co.	Eastmore pl.
Bartholomew, J. E.	Second and Park ave.
Bartholomew, J. E.	Second and Grant ave.
Bostwick, Geo. H.	7th and Union sts.
Bowne, F. F.	Second and Grant ave.
Bowne, F. H.	41 East Front street.
Brown, John	Second and Grant ave.
Brown, Wm.	Second and Grant ave.
Bunnell, Mrs.	Park and North ave.
Burnett, S.	Netherwood.
Burnett, S.	Second and Grant ave.
Bunn, W.C., M. D.	Cor. Front & Central av.
Bunn, John	Centra' ave. and 9th st.
City Hotel.	Cor. Front and Park ave.
Clark, S. E.	....West Front street.
Clark, S. E.	Park and North ave.
Cox, C. W.	Rockview ave.
Children's Home	Jackson ave.
Church, Jesse F.	Richmond and Grant ave.
Construction and Office	3 North ave.
Cook, J. S & Son	Park and North ave.
Coulter, Dr. J. H.	Netherwood and Westervelt av.
Cox, Rockwell	Rockview ave.
Cox, Rockwell	Second and Grant ave.
C. V. rail L. Association	2 Front street.
Chapman, Mrs. F. A.	3 Third Place
Dalrymple, Frank	3 North ave.
Dupre, Mrs. E.	24 Crescent ave.
Dull, Lee	Putnam ave.
Dunn, Dr. T. H.	Park and North ave.
Dye, R. H.	Rockview ave.
Day, Frank	North ave.
Dunham, F. M.	36 W. Front st.
Dunham, John W.	30 Crescent ave.
Dunham, Jr. Geo W.	30 Crescent ave.
Evening News, T.W. Morrison, Editor	7 Dunn's st.
Engine No 1	West 3d st.
Engine No 2	West 3d st.
Engine No 3	Somerset st.
Estate of D. Miller	41 East Front st.
Fortune, J. S.	1st Front street.
Fortune, J. S. Est.	41 East Front street.
Fort, Chas. J.	30 West Seventh st.
Fort, Chas. J. Residence	30 West Seventh st.
Force, J. & Son	North ave.
Force, W. G. & Son	North ave.
Fuller's Hotel	North ave.
Franklin House	C. RR. Depot.
French, F. F. & Sons	71 Somerset st.
French & Sons, N. H.	71 Somerset st.
Fritts, Dr. J.	20 Park place.
Frost, Dr. C. M.	Police and Fire street.
Gosling, C. H.	17 Third Place.
Gosling, C. H.	Park and North ave.
Gosling, C. H.	1st Front street.
Gosling, C. H.	Rockview ave.
Gosling, C. H.	North ave.
Herring, F. O.	8th st. and 1st Place.
Hall, C. L.	Cor. Front and Park ave.
Latey, F. J. and Co.	Cor. Front and Park Ave.
Mortimer, John	Putnam avenue.
Mortimer, John	Rockview ave.
Mosher, Hosty A.	Willow st.
Moore, Andrew	Rockview ave.
Moore, J. & Bro.	W. Front st.
Moore, J. G.	10 E. Front st.
Moore, Geo. Residence	10 E. Front st.
Moore, Benj. F.	Cor. 2nd st. and Park ave.
Muhlenberg Sanitar'm	North ave.
Mullen, Wm.	Central ave. and 9th st.
Murray, Dr. Wm. H.	37 Penn street.
Mutual Life Ins. Co.	41 East Front st.
Miner, Frank, Prop.	Netherwood.
Matthews, Chas.	Prospect Place and Grove st.
Netherwood,	Park and North ave.
Netherwood Hotel	Netherwood.
Nevius, Henry S.	Cor. Front and Park ave.
O. 0.ph. H. S.	Parsonage ave.
Peters, Jr., Thos P.	Rockview ave.
Peterson, Joseph G.	1 Grove st.
Plainfield Gaslight Co.	49 East Fourth st.
Plainfield Dist. Tel.	41 East Front st.
Plainfield Electric Light Co.	Madison avenue.
Park House	8th and Park ave.
Parker, Wm.	41 East Front st.
Plainfield Sand Co.	56 and Washington ave.
Plainfield Sand Co.	Madison ave. and R.R.
Peters, W. E.	...ner, near Plainfield ave.
Porter, C. Jr.	7th and Division sts.
Porter, Chas.	Second and Grant ave.
Porter, S. A.	Grove st. and Mercer ave.
Peterson, Jr. J. P.	Rockview ave.
Peters, Edward C.	Central ave. and 8th st.
Page & Co., J. C.	2 East Front st.
Randolph, Jas. C.	Front st. and Richmond av.
Randolph, Henry C.	Broadway.
Randolph, E. P.	Broadway.
Reynolds, E. P.	Park and North ave.
Reynolds, E. P.	Washington avenue.
Rockview, Geo W.	Park and North ave.
Rockview, Geo W.	Park and North ave.
Rockfellow, G. W.	Park ave.
Rockfellow, G. W. & Son	Park ave.
Runyon, A. M. & Son	43 Madison ave.
Runyon, Mrs. Jas.	43 Madison ave.
Rudy, Mrs. J. S.	Netherwood.
Rudy, Mrs. J. S.	Park and North ave.
Smith, Chas. A.	Pinewood.
Sayres, Leonard W.	...Front st. and Plainfield ave.
Sayres, C. J.	Front st. and Plainfield ave.
Shaw, R. J.	Front st. opp. Park ave.
Smith, Wm.	Second and Grant ave.
Smith, Wm. E. P.	1st Grand avenue.
Stout, S. H.	Park ave. and Front st.
Stout, S. H.	Park ave. and Front st.
Stults, S. M. (Pay Station)	Park ave and Front st.
Stevens, A. S.	Second and Grant ave.
Terrill W. H. & Cole	29 East Front street
Thompson, A. D.	Netherwood
Thompson, Benry P. (2)	Second and Grant ave.
Tilsworth, Jos. H.	30 W. 7th st.
Tompkins, T. H.	30 W. 7th st.
Tracy, J. Evarts	83 and Division st.
The Press Machine Tool Co.	Third St.
Union Stamp Express Co.	41 East Front st.
Van Sickle W. J.	12 North ave.
Vincent, J. S.	Park and North ave.
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The English army may be classed under three heads, the artillery, the infantry and the cavalry, and these three are again branched off under other denominations.

The artillery corps consists of the field artillery, the garrison artillery and the royal horse artillery, and it is of the latter I would speak more particularly. The Royal Horse artillery is, as its name implies, a mounted branch of the service, and is principally for the protection of the cavalry. It is sometimes attached to one of the three divisions of infantry, but just as no occasion for its services. It is divided into three brigades, A, B and C, and these are divided into batteries of six guns each, and each battery with a company of infantry and is in charge of a captain or major. Each battery has its lieutenants, a sergeant major, and the usual staff of non-commissioned officers.

Each battery consists of six subdivisions representing the number of the gun, and the first piece of the battery is, of course, the first subdivision, attached to one or another of these subdivisions.

Artillerymen are either gunners or drivers, the former being all over five feet six inches, and the latter from that height down. No recruits are drafted directly into the royal horse artillery, but are put principally for the purpose of instruction, so that the standard of efficiency of the whole may be kept up. The gunners are selected for their light weight, and as the pay is somewhat above the average, there is no scarcity of men.

Twelve men are required for each gun, either a corporal or bombardier may preside over the battery for three guns, and a large number of artificers, and employed men—wheelers, collars, etc.—are also required, and are on the roster of the troops.

Twenty-three horses belong to a gun and each has its own feature, designated as the lead, the centre and the wheel horses. The gunners are mounted and ride on the limber and gun. Each gun, with its limber and caisson, is drawn by six horses, the first two being the lead horses, the third and fourth the centre horses, and the fifth and sixth the wheel horses. The direction is always the same. Commandments call out in charge, usually a sergeant, and he is in charge of the battery. He is assisted by a corporal and sometimes several corporals, according to the number of men in the battery. He is supposed to ride on the left front and name home the charge. No. 1 attends to the horses, No. 2 fires, No. 3 passes the ammunition from 7 and 8, who attend to the horses, and No. 9 is in charge of the ammunition.

There are three general duties, though each man has his particular duty. Each man is trained to perform the duty of his superior in case of an emergency.

The gunners are drilled to most every conceivable position in which they can be placed, and each wheel is carried with the gun, and in an incredibly short time, it is in its place—the moment the gun comes to a halt the gun is unlimbered, perhaps not so nearly, yet just as efficiently. They are skilled in taking the proper distance, and the men in charge of putting it together again, and so rapidly as to astonish the uninitiated who may witness the performance.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

Our Record of the Past, Our Promise for the Future.

FOR PRESIDENT,
Grover Cleveland,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
Allen G. Thurman,
OF OHIO.

For Governor:
DIX, GEORGE C. GREEN.
DIX, JOHN B. INTERNET.
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DANIEL MORRIS.
ARCHER E. HARTIN.
RICHARD S. KUHL.
JAMES P. RANDOLPH.
EDWARD BELLER, JR.
IRVIN A. STEVENS.

For Governor:
I. Dist.—GOV. WILLIAM BUTLER, Of Suffolk.
II. Dist.—JUDGE A. GEMBERLING, Of Monroe.
IV. Dist.—GEN. ROSS. FOWLER, Of Seneca.
VII. Dist.—WILLIAM McALPIN, Of Herkimer.

County Democratic Convention.

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PROTECTION.

We are in favor of protection, plain and full, to American industry in every sense and kind, but we are partial to good to plainer, even, when it comes to make sure the title of protection.

We would protect with exact justice the agricultural, commercial, manufacturing, artistical, mining and trading interests of the whole country, giving equal encouragement to all, but fighting privileges and bounties to none.

We would protect labor by keeping upon home soil the value it produces, and by so adjusting the tariff taxation on the necessaries of life, and by enlarging and making more varied our processes of manufacturing employment.

We would protect capital by opening new and legitimate fields for its investment.

And we would protect the home market by stopping the importation of whatever those articles are, now pouring in to diminish gain and making to perpetuate monopolies, pauperisms and Trust combinations here.

We support genuine Protection, which means the welfare of the many, not the enrichment of a few.

TARIFF REFORM.

President Cleveland acted wisely and well when he brought the shortcomings and evil effects of the present system of war and taxation before the people by an official communication to Congress.

Tariff reform is a question so clear, so rapidly crystallized and discussed as it has been during the past ten months, in factory, workshop, store and lodge room, at public gatherings and within home circles, the matter had been talked over, read about and intelligently considered.

The result is that the people have discovered that a tariff is to be used for the purpose of raising revenue and not for the purpose of building up one business and ruining another, and that indirect taxation is quite as effective in abstracting money from their pockets as the blood of the direct tax collector.

The American people are not the fools, while some Republican partisans may daily take them for it.

The recognition of the question by the Democratic Party, and the position taken by it, is manifested in the following extract from a published address of States:

Apart from any other considerations, the surplus in the Treasury is in itself an evil. It withdraws from the channels of trade a vast amount of money which would otherwise be employed in the transactions of business and the payment of labor. It offers a temptation to extravagant appropriations, and to the waste of public money in every form. It is a fruitful source of danger, and it ought to be prevented. The simplest and most effective way in which it can be prevented is to reduce the revenue to the needs of the government, by repealing those taxes which bear most heavily upon the industry of the country. To relieve the people from unnecessary taxation, and at the same time to avoid breaking down the industries which have been established and are still maintained under the present laws, the reduction of taxes should be made upon the basis of the present system, and in such manner as to preserve all the benefits and advantages to our home industries and our working people which have been secured by the legislation of the past. All sound policy requires that the burden of taxation shall be lightened by the Democratic party, and that the Republican party shall not be permitted to use the power which the people have given to it for the purpose of accumulating a surplus in the Treasury, for the purpose of unnecessary expenditure, or for the purpose of enabling it to keep up the present high rates of taxation unnecessarily for the benefit of favored classes.

HAVE YOU HEARD FROM SEWARD?

When the Republicans, after signally efforts, nerved Mahone in September, but at the expense of a very considerable loss on their vote, four years previously, they shouted themselves hoarse with fabricated victory, their great leader, Mr. Blaine, even going to the extent of whooping it up as a "political revolution."

Which was in strict accord with the system of partisan falsity that characterizes their every act—the practical politician of the tariff of Mr. Mills.

There was no election in Newark and Tuesday.

The Republican clubs will not celebrate the event this year.

The leaders expected a glorious political revolution at that important point, and were loaded full of explosives to proclaim the certain defeat of Democratic New Jersey.

Something struck them.

It was a Democratic blizzard.

They are terse stickers, cannot exactly tell whether their Presidential candidate is James G. Blaine or Benjamin Harrison.

So it will be when the idea of November arrive.

For the first time in history, Newark on the October election of a Presidential year gives a decided Democratic majority, a gain of 3,000 or more over 1884.

And that, too, where industrial prosperity held sway, and the bugaboo of "free trade" and "low wages" was rolled round as the weapon to win.

It failed to frow.

Because the Workingmen are not to be caught with Republican chaff.

They know good sound from the tariff question.

It has been told before them fully and fairly by the Democratic party.

They have been invited to study it for themselves.

That they are doing, and, as a sure consequence, their votes will be for

CLEVELAND, THURMAN AND REFORM.

PRACTICAL TESTIMONY.

Mr. Walter Aiken of Franklin, New Hampshire, is one of the leading hosiery manufacturers in the United States. He has been in the business for over thirty years, and is thoroughly acquainted with it in every particular.

Like hundreds of other manufacturers throughout the country, Mr. Aiken is an earnest supporter of the Mills or Democratic tariff bill. He is amply qualified to give his reasons therefor. Let him speak for himself as follows:

"I do not see that any sane man of the ability of my brother manufacturers can deny that the Mills bill imposes a duty of 40 per cent on foreign hosiery. Let us see what this means.

It makes hosiery worth 40, 60 and 84 a dozen. No matter what they weigh or what the wool costs, so long as the cost of the wool is not over 40 cents a pound. The labor in these goods is about one-half the cost. The tariff proposed by the Mills bill gives me a direct advantage of from 20 cents to 31 a dozen over my foreign competitor. In other words, I do not take into account the cost of buying foreign goods here, the interest on money while in transit, the time between ordering and selling, which usually got at 30 per cent, ad valor, and which is just that much more protection. Everything costs the foreign manufacturer who only had to add the duty as it costs me, then my advantage over him is 50 cents to one and 31.50 per dozen.

"This talk about low wages if the Mills bill passes is nonsense pure and simple. To whom do I have to pay the highest wages? Why, to the operatives, the mechanics, the hosiers, who produce the goods, the men of every other non-protected trade. High-priced labor is the cheapest labor in the world. You can't get every man to do his work. The manufacturer who pays the highest wages for agricultural labor can get all he wants, and the manufacturer who pays the highest wages for agricultural labor can get all he wants, and the manufacturer who pays the highest wages for textile labor can get all he wants. England which pays double the wages paid by France and Germany, can produce cheaper goods, and does, in nearly the light of all experience should teach us that there is no labor so cheap as a poorly paid labor.

"I honestly believe that with free raw material we can beat the world in the manufacture of hosiery, and what we are to do in hosiery we can easily do in a dozen other industries.

That is testimony which cannot be ignored. It is the utterance of a gentleman who knows from actual business experience whereof he talks. His judgment rest upon solid facts.

Mark well the concluding remarks of Mr. Aiken: *With free raw material we can beat the World.*

That declaration comes not from a politician.

It utters a practical manufacturer.

It is the TRUTH.

"A Sweet Virginia Woman."

The Elizabeth *Journal* quotes the following from a Philadelphia paper:

"E. C. Counselman, an Evans farmer, has received a valid Virginia land warrant, and is going to locate a quarter section after election. Then the retired will be sought, and if Cleveland is elected Mr. Counselman will ask for the appointment of Postmaster at Evans. Mr. Counselman is a Democrat, and has been a subscriber to the Democratic paper from the pastors field and he frequently does calling the editorial about the county seat."

Mr. Thurs denies the statement and says the man that wrote the article is either a fool or a liar. Mr. Counselman is a Democrat, and has been a subscriber to the Democratic paper from the pastors field and he frequently does calling the editorial about the county seat.

Democratic Parade at New Market.

The Lehigh Valley, Del. & Sc. Co. will run a special train from Phillipsburg to New Market the train that is due here at 2.45 p. m. to leave that at 2.30 p. m. to accommodate the patrons of the road will be appreciated.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MARSHALL & BALL.

If you want a PERFECT FITTING

FALL SUIT

It will pay you to visit our store, and see the immense quantities of Elegant Cut Garments we have now ready to put on.

$10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18 PER SUIT.

Our Dress Suit Department

Occupying our New Store adjoining (which with our enlargement is as large in itself as our Clothing store in the city). It is stocked full of the Finest Suits ever manufactured. Don't fail to see them, for they cannot be duplicated for the money. $15, 18, 20, 22, 25 Per Suit.

OUR PANTALOON STOCK

Is simply perfection, as we have given it special attention. We can show you a handsome line of Perfect Fitting Pants at $2, 3, 4, 5, 6. You will be surprised when you see them. We have always made a pet of our

Boys' and Children's Department,

And that is why all mothers rush to us to clothe the little fellows.

YOUTHS' CUTAWAY SUITS,	-	-	$6, 10, 12, 15
BOYS' THREE-PIECE KNEE PANT SUITS,	-	-	$5, 6, 8, 10
BOYS' TWO-PIECE " " "			$4, 5, 6, 7
CHILDREN'S " " "			$1.50, 2, 4, 5

Remember, our store is three times as large as the ordinary clothing stores, and our stock is correspondingly large. By buying for cash, and getting off all discounts, we are enabled to give greater inducements than all small concerns.

The Style and Finish of our goods are our own, and fully equal to Custom-made work, at one-third less in price.

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T. A. B. Meeting.

The members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society held a meeting in Association Hall on Monday evening, with President Patrick Kiely in the chair. Mr. John McCarthy, the secretary, recorded the proceedings. Besides other business transacted, the Society completed its code of by-laws and made final arrangements for the Society's sociable to-morrow evening. The articles of incorporation governing the Society were read and adopted.

181 Feted Street 24.

Two of the Miller Bros., proprietors of Laing's Hotel, were talking Saturday of the suicide of Joseph B. Smith, and recalled the case of a Brooklyn man who blew out his brains in the Sheridan House, Elizabeth, some years ago. How they were connected with them ended.

One of them remembered that the man shot himself in Room 24 of the Sheridan House, and that Cashier Jim, who was thrown out of his carriage on Peace street, recently, died from the effects of the accident, in Room 24 of Laing's Hotel.

Now that Smith died in occupy Room 24 in any hotel," said one of the Miller boys; "you may always be sure something unpleasant has happened in it."

A boom after the conversation THE PRESS was issued with an account of the Smith case, that told that the suicide had shot himself in Room 24 of the Forest's Hotel.

—To show the vast amount of work done at the Pond Tool Works, it may be said that during the month of September alone, between 50,000 and 60,000 tons of tools have been shipped from the works.

List of Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending October 6th, 1888.

Allen, Mrs. Emmett
Angle, Mr. Abram
Angle, Mr. Wilmot
Bell, Mr. Joseph
Bell, Mr. Wm.
Bowen, Mrs. Dorcas
Bowen, Mrs. Susan
Brown, Mrs. Mary
Brown, Mrs. Rachel
Brown, Miss Rebecca H.
Brown, Miss Sarah
Courtney, Miss Linda
Cox, Mr. Jas.
Cox, Mr. Wm.
Dunham, Mr. Wm.
Dunham, Mr. Wm. H. (2)
Dunn, Miss Annie
Wright, Miss.

Persons calling for above please say advertised.
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UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS,
No. 20 E. FRONT STREET.
M. H. TERRILL. Plainfield, N. J. Telephone Call No. 27.

A. M. RUNYON & SON,
UNDERTAKERS, EMBALMERS,
60 PARK AVENUE.
Telephone Call 46.
RESIDENCE—48 MADISON AVENUE.
Telephone Call 37.
"Office of Hillside Cemetery."

P. CASEY & SON,
UNDERTAKERS,
DEVON—No. 1 Commerce St.
Residence, No. 11 Plane street, corner Second. Telephone connects with Dunellen and Plainfield. Orders always on hand for Hearses, Coaches, Carriages, Etc. Cemetery Lots for sale in Hillside Cemetery and Evergreen Cemetery, Plainfield.

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For 30 years we have devoted ourselves exclusively to the treatment of Rupture, and during that time have successfully treated thousands of cases without a single failure. Call or send for circular. Office hours, 9 to 4. Consultation free. Address or call on

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J. A. DEMAREST, - - City Editor.

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—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The police will guard election day with a force of [illegible] men, from 6 A. M. to 6 P. M. and from 6.45 P. M. to [illegible].

—The M. E. church people will hold a church social at Trinity chapel on Friday evening of this week.

—The Liberty Hall Co. at the recent fair of Waverley was $2,500, or 4,000 less than in the previous year. The receipts were $24,000.

—The Lehigh Valley road had been [illegible] to run a train from Plainfield to Bound Brook at 2.30 A. M. on Saturday next, on the Park avenue grounds.

—Prof. Lewis Boynton will preach at Trinity Mission, Westfield, next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Prof. Boynton is the assistant pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, Orange.

—The Plainfield Dramatic Club will meet on Monday evening, October 15, at the Manning building, 73 W. Front street.

—The celebrated case against Sandy Hook oysters, that has been pending in the United States Circuit Court at Trenton, was decided October 6 in favor of the Corporation Attorney Marsh of this city.

—Assessor Smith advertisements will be issued the appointment of Mr. L. F. Randle, the well known newspaper man, who has entered the Middlesex Mail partnership with Mr. Hall. Both parties are well known citizens of this place in Dunellen and Plainfield.

—Manager Hilton of the District Messenger office has thoroughly equipped No. 3 office and has secured a lady for the position of telephone girl. The new apparatus is ready to be put in operation, and it is a valuable aid to the business men.

—Mr. Wm. Deegan, of this city, has been granted by the Court at Elizabeth, a license to keep an inn and lawyers at Westfield. It will be located at the old stand of J. J. Wolf, on the Park road, and is ready to receive the Plainfield friends in a few weeks.

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—Louis K. Nichols, evangelist, and leader of a band of 25 evangelists, will begin a series of meetings in Plainfield, on Sunday, Oct. 14. All desiring to avail themselves of the privilege of hearing God's word accompanied with power, will find it to their advantage to be present at the first and until [illegible] are filled. All are welcome.

—At the work of construction on the new First Presbyterian church on East Front street, under the personal supervision of contractor Isaac W. Pangburn, the lines of the structure is apparent. There will be two main entrances, one on the corner of the street and the other at the extreme left of the building.

—A large wood block on the corner of Mr. R. E. Stelle's residence, on Watchung avenue and made a terrific report. The citizens were startled in the night by the noise but, finding nothing, when the morning dawned, the wood was found.

—Among the young people in society in our city, there is nothing that is attracting so much attention as the coming of the Middlesex Dramatic Club, which will appear on Tuesday, Oct. 23, and continue the whole week. A full announcement will be made in the next issue of the Constitutionalist. The Club is composed of the best talent in the United States and will be on hand to take part in all the events, which will include the grand ball which is to be given by the Board of Trade on the evening of the 23d. The Tompkins House will be the headquarters of the company, and of course all the most influential citizens, and everybody will be glad to see the performances and attend the ball. Arrangements are being made to run excursion trains from all particularly well-to-do surrounding towns. Nothing drinks will be sold on the grounds, but a lunch counter will be kept where refreshments can be had. Tuesday and Friday will be the matinee days. Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats, only 25 cents more. See advertisement.

Notice.

For the accommodation of those who desire to become qualified before the October election, and cannot get there [illegible] the City Clerk's office in Elizabeth, on the night of Monday, Oct. 8, and 22, and Saturday, the 27th, I will make a note of the above dates. Those who attend to it on the day they intend to vote will be waited upon any day during the month of the month.

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D. C. DARLING, Dentist, Office, No. 5 Park Place, Plainfield, N. J.

H. [illegible], Auctioneer, P. O. Box 1, Lock Box 21, Office, No. 2 Park Place, Plainfield, N. J. Sales of Real Estate a specialty.

O. [illegible], Architect, 32 Broadway, New York and Dunellen, N. J. Residence, Dunellen, N. J.—[illegible]

J. S. [illegible], Veterinary Surgeon, Office at Stable, No. 5 Park Place, Plainfield, N. J. Residence, No. 5 Park Place, Plainfield, N. J. Calls promptly attended to.

A. STORY MILLER, Attorney-at-Law, Office in the New Building, Park Place, Plainfield, N. J. Will practice in the Courts of Union County. Will also practice in the Courts of Middlesex County, and before the Orphans' Court of Somerset County.

F. [illegible], Civil Engineer and Surveyor, Office, Crowell's building, Park Place, Plainfield, N. J. Residence, Somerville, N. J. Will practice in the Courts of Somerset County.

D. [illegible], Electric Baths, Rooms and Residence adjoining. Turkish and Medicated Baths. Special attention given to Rheumatism and Nervous Diseases. Office hours, 8 to 10 A. M., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M. Sundays, 9 to 10 A. M. Office, No. 5 Park Place, Plainfield, N. J.

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P. P. VanArsdale, PIANO TUNER. Orders left at Cook & Bro.'s, Park avenue, or at residence, No. 20 East Second street, Plainfield, N. J., will receive prompt attention. Terms reasonable. 30 East 2d st.

JOHN CHANDLER, PATENTS AND CAVEATS, Solicitor of Patents, No. 26 East 2d St., Plainfield, N. J.

LUTKINS & HUMMER, Dealers in Butter, Eggs & Produce. Make sales at all kinds. Poultry and Vegetables in their season. No. 8 East Second street, Plainfield, N. J. Also at Lutkins' Stand, Fulton Market, New York. L. A. LUTKINS. L. A. HUMMER.

TO THE PUBLIC! We would call the attention of the public to the fact that we have just purchased the entire stock of Lumber and Building Materials of Lambert & Sutphen, and are prepared to deliver at short notice all kinds of material required by Builders and Mechanics. Yard on Somerset street, Plainfield, N. J. Office, No. 5 Park Place. Telephone No. 21. Yours truly, J. J. FORCE & CO.

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—At the sixty-ninth annual meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of New Jersey, which convened in Richmond Hall, Mt. Holly, New York, on Rev. Dr. Hall, D. D., of Princeton, of this city was elected Moderator for the ensuing year.

—One of the Republican workers of this city, Wilhelmus Barkalew, on West Front street, is wandering around with the First Ward stating that he has been appointed to the Common Council to succeed Mr. Chandler, who only resigned so he will not Chandler before one of the duties of his appointment and the salary attached to his position.

—The new counter law provides for the opening of the polls from 6 o'clock A. M., until sunset, instead of 7 o'clock in the morning. The law will not go into effect until May 1, 1889. The polls will open at 6 o'clock A. M. on election day. No closing for dinner is to be allowed. The polls must be kept continuously from the time of opening until the close.

—The Second street News chronicles Tax Collector Manning because the latter plans to get a "beat" on it in the matter of the tax list. Like all the boys beside the flowering News seems to be afflicted with the characteristic trait of the Knox pachyderm, a weak belief in the power of the press, and a corresponding degree of pachydermatous indifference to its assaults. Mr. Manning, however, is not a Tax Prince or King, and the Tax Prince of Second street is not the Tax Regent of Front street "in all right, but the first city" in size and school. All of the matters mentioned have been inherited, and the Second street Prince is not to be held responsible for the acts of his predecessors in office. The chief fellow is now simply creeping around the street, and holding himself ready to get left. What fools these mortals be.

Shaking Up Their Work.

The Republican Secretary says: "The Democratic Committee is working in their political machinery with renewed energy and vigor. Every week or two they call a committee meeting to note the progress of their work which was formerly done by the county Master that each may be fully posted before the next meeting."

Minor Town Items Reviewed.

The Grand Jury has indicted Willie Van Nest, the fifteen-year-old incendiary, for setting fire to the Arlington Hotel. He is in jail in default of $1,000 bail. Constable Moffett took the boy to Elizabeth this morning.

The Grand Jury has also indicted Mrs. Jane Brinkerhoff, of this city, for assault and battery upon Mrs. Kate Kelly, of Somerville. Constable Moffett took the prisoner to Elizabeth this morning.

A Runaway Ranger for Forest Fire.

Mr. Peter Rinkert, the truckman, had a narrow escape from violent death on the Fourth inst. While driving up to the freight house for a load of merchandise, two freight cars were cut loose from their engine, No. 28, and backed down the North Plainfield track of the freight house. Mr. Rinkert was crossing the track at the time, and the cars struck the load and horses he was driving. Mr. Rinkert says he managed to keep the horses off the track, and escaped without injury to himself. He says he never heard of the cars before.

Summer Resorters.

A clergyman of this city is the latest to place in the hands a copy of a circular letter he has just received from the Executive Committee of the Anti-Saloon League, asking for pecuniary assistance in furtherance of the general work of the campaign now in progress. The letter says:

"We have a number of people in Plainfield who have been in the habit of spending their summer vacations at summer resorts. Some of these people in Plainfield have placed in position in front of his store a Republican campaign banner. Will you please forward us your subscription for Cleveland and the people's future.

Among the patrons of the Grand Club who have signified their intention of joining the club during this week, are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rennie, of Westfield, N. Y., the former being a member of the classic fraternity and handicap committee. Mrs. Rennie is a most accomplished lady golfer, and has been presented with a handsome gold medal, which she won in a handicap tournament. Mr. Rennie will occupy a house on Richmond street, already provided by the grounds.

The Gun Club Tournament.

The fourth annual tournament of the Plainfield Gun Club, opened on the club's grounds at Dunellen, Tuesday, and will continue up to and including Friday.

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Dear Comrade: Of course most
The time when I met he was with her;
But I'll not be jealous of that one
This pallid woman at his feet.

He kneels the whitest thing in sight
Save her white face and white hands;
Her head is bowed, her eyes are hid
Under the lash's gray shadows.

He has come there to make peace;
Perhaps to ask her pardon, too;
Like Easter his heart within him burns;
Like Easter his face is glad.

It urges he calmly tries to prove—
Even through the tumult of my soul
I can see the lawyer's every move—
That he was blameless, and

His mood is fitted to his words;
Sweet, bold and earnest. Such like that drew
Their hearts together in the days
And times that seem so long ago.

Somebody's Friend Dead.

One day in consequence of an article, an editor received a letter from a subscriber, and a dead man received a coffin. The article was a deal with the editor of the Geodsic newspaper. The Geodsic of that day—for the title has since been changed to the Geodsic Corner—was a town that Boddle, and people through more than three times and a half the days of the week. Boddle—the Geodsic of that day was one of those towns that are always going to boom in spring or between the partings across around the sides of the theatres and the literary institutions, and always do boom, and never boom, and always do boom, and never do boom, and always do boom, and never do boom, and always do boom, and never do

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FAMILY REPORT.

The Republican speakers and writers in their desire to make the people believe that public and private prosperity, past and for the future, has depended and will depend exclusively upon very high tariff legislation, do violence to the truths of national history.

Many eminent public men, outside of the Democratic party, notably President Grant, President Arthur, secretary McCulloch and various others, have borne positive testimony in favor of moderate duties and free raw materials as the policy of genuine and general prosperity, and thousands of impartial Republican voters today, thoughtfully holding the same views, have resigned to vote for a measure that will register approval of the present unequal and oppressive tariff system, instead of being perpetuated, ought to be adjusted to the existing needs of Reform.

Under the Democratic tariff of 1846 the business of all kinds was robust and satisfactory.

Manufacturing and other industrial pursuits flourished.

Labor was in steady demand at good pay.

Strikes against unjust wages and for the arbitrary reduction of wages were unknown.

Organizations were not needed to defend the rights of the working classes.

Tradesmen and manufacturers of small capital had a fair and free opportunity to thrive.

Wealth was the product of honest and legitimate effort, not spoils obtained by monopolistic speculation.

The people were not swaggered, as now, by a brood of special tariff beneficiaries known as Monopolists and Trust Conspirators.

Then again—

Under the Democratic Tariff of 1846.

Our ocean commerce took nearly four fold among the maritime nations. Among these nations our vessels were the favorites of the carrying trade of the world, they sailed every sea, anchored in every port, and poured into American cities streams of golden wealth.

Not so now.

Tariff Reform is Protection for the toiling masses, not for privileged classes.

VOTE FOR REFORM.

AN APPEAL.

"In its application over the domain in the fifteen years, the Tribune has forgotten its own, and directly contravened that great foundation principle of protectionist argument and orators, that a tariff is not a tax, and that if it is not a tax it cannot be paid by the consumers inside country, but by the foreigner who produces the goods imported. Says the Tribune:

"It is represented that duties amounting to more than $7,000,000 will have to be refunded by the United States to the importers, if the decision in the Silesian case is sustained by the court of last resort. Every dollar of this $7,000,000 must be paid, with interest, by the consumers of the articles, for the reason that the fund in question was collected from them and no one assumes at present legal power to step short the line and refund it. If, therefore, the importers and the importers, if they get that $7,000,000 out of the Government, will refund the money to the purchasers of articles, it is plain that the consumers will pay the duties."

We put in italics, as an exercise, for the amusement, the Tribune's monstrous admission that in this single matter of fifteen the sum of $7,000,000 has been paid, not by foreigners, but by the "consumers" in the United States, through increased "prices based upon the duty which the law was intended to impose."—*Evening Post.*

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.

In re-making the nomination of President Cleveland, the party of Democracy seeks to advance the best interests of all the people and to perpetuate the highest honor of country. It appeals with confidence for popular suffrage on his behalf, because his record of the present administration is an ample guarantee of future success.

A Republican Opinion of Wickedness.

Sarah Peak, held Tuesday, Messrs. S. C. Peck, jr., John E. Stewart and L. V. F. Randolph were appointed a committee to attend to take full charge of the Hillside cemetery, and to see that the lot purchased has been passed forth during the past few days.

The sum subscribed for it to grow and its adventurers recognize the fact, yet many dates subscribed

CITY DEPARTMENT.

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J. A. DEMAREST, - - City Editor.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

[Table of mail arrival and departure times]

—Oil for A. T. M. C. A. buildings.

—Sir Edward Lowe's change of advertisement will appear next week.

—The regular school of the Congregational church will hold interest home devotional on Sunday afternoon next.

—The first reception of the season in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. building will take place on Friday evening of this week.

—During the latter part of this month the New Jersey Sportsmen's Club will entertain their friends at Middlebrook.

—The ladies of Grace church propose to hold a "tea" and musical in the early future for the express purpose of adding to the church building fund.

—The work of moving the large addition of certainty useless at the auction sale of the personal property left by Daniel and Francis Lee, on Thursday of this week.

—Messrs. R. W. Rice & Co., are enlarging the cellar of their property, corner Emily and Dean streets, and at the same time putting extensive pulls back of their store, thereby adding much room.

—Arrangements are being made for entertainments to be given to Seminary Hall during the Winter, will be the "swell" social events of the season.

—The meeting of Adam Lodge of the forty-seventh anniversary of his birth, Sunday, by tendering a number of his friends a reception at Lating's Hotel, which was largely attended with the presentation of art and good taste that the Miller Bros., have become noted for.

—Mr. Charles Smith of West Front street offered a reward of $5 at the police station, Friday. Although laboring under a disadvantage in the shape of a sunburned hand, he competed with the best marksmen of the county, and that reward was bestowed from neighboring houses, and the prize presented without further ado.—Independent.

—The Local Temperance Legion has issued the programme in the W. C. T. U. rooms, 72 W. Front street, every Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Boys and girls will find the Legion rooms pleasant and are requested to do so during this month. Visitors are always welcome.

—A grand sale for the benefit of the Presbyterian Home for Aged Women, 1 Madison avenue, New York city, under the auspices of the Auxiliary Council, No. 30, G. A. F. of this city, will be held in Dunlop's Hall, corner of Front and Grove streets, beginning on the 29th inst., and continuing up to and including December 15.

—The Fire Police is again requested to be attended to-night at the usual meeting of the Fire Police, which will meet at the engine house on South street, near St. Mary's church. They beseech of the authorities to at least give them a few walks so that the patrolmen can get a chance to see what kind of weather they should wading knee-deep in the mud.

—A correspondent writes in condemnation of a set of boys who congregate nightly on the corner of Front and Watchung avenue and New streets, and make the night hideous by repeated shouting upon the cases etc. There are several invalids in that neighborhood, and we hope the matter will be speedily attended to.

—A new dam, full of new blood, but with old hands stock full of experience, is now being built on the corner of Front and South streets, Newark. Their stock is complete and all manufactured since July 15. Everything entirely new in material, and workmanship. Give Kilpatrick, Dodd & Sipp, a call."

—Mr. Walter Scott, the printing press manufacturer, on Friday had notices posted in his factory, urging all voters to attend to their duty, and remember that on election day to vote as their conscientiously dictates. This is a commendable move on the part of Mr. Scott, and is appreciated by his employes.

—The Young People's Society of the Congregational church, held its first meeting of the season in the church parlors, last night. The business was well transacted, and the meeting very pleasantly together. An interesting programme was rendered, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, and recitations.

—The Eastern Daily Argus says: A Democrat of Plainfield, N. J., has sent to the Democratic National Committee the names of forty-two Republicans of that place who will vote for Cleveland. He says: "There is no disinclination at all in the Democratic ranks in Plainfield. Four years ago there was a tie vote, and this year the Democrats will carry it."

—On Monday, November 26, the second annual ball and supper in aid of the First Ward Guards of Newark, will take place in this city. The guards will spare no pains to have this affair one of the most select that the visitors will march to Keller's Grove in North Plainfield, where they will engage in rifle shooting. The Band of Newark will furnish the music for the guests of Plainfield. A committee representing the guards was in town yesterday, making the final arrangements. Invitations have been issued to the following: Mayor Mabie, Councilman F. E. Marsh and Chief Bonnell of the Fire Department to participate.

—Pursuant to a call the ladies of the W. C. T. U., met, and in Reform Hall, Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 23rd, and formed a society to be known as the Women's Temperance Aid Society. The object of the society is to promote the interest of the Temperance Club and to do other work as may be deemed necessary. The organization was perfected by the election of the following officers:

President—Mrs. D. M. Fromer.
Vice-President—Mrs. George F. Scott.
Second Vice-President—Mrs. J. D. Thurston.
Third Vice-President—Mrs. J. E. Stevens.
Secretary—Miss L. Kay.
Treasurer—Mrs. C. E. Graham.

The society adjourned to meet in special session in Reform Hall, Tuesday next at 2 p. m.

—The Primrose Presbyterian at Sixth and Montgomery, Philadelphia, was filled with a large number of friends and relatives of Rev. Dr. Wilson, without the knowledge of Rev. E. V. Wilson, pastor of the church, and of the late E.W. Smith, M. D., of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Wilson, and was quietly impressive as it was the occasion of the silver wedding of the Plainfield pastor. The bride was dressed in silk, with lace trimmings, and wore a bouquet of Charles S. Wilson, Jr., and Miss Charles Powell, Miss Hershey and Miss Smith, Oliver Tatem and Miss Tevis, Richard Wood and Miss Lida Tevis, Richard Wood and Miss Mary Tevis, Edward Sharpless and Florence Wilson, Thomas Sharpless and Miss Mary Wilson, Richard J. Wilson and Miss Lizzie Wilson, Richard J. Wilson, Jr., and Miss Annie Wilson, and the Misses Wilson. The presents were many and costly, and the affair was a great success. The attendance of relatives from a distance was quite large.

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—The wasteful of September is seldom very heavy, notwithstanding the common impression to the contrary, but the month just closed has been an exception to the rule, for the amount collected for water rents alone was $26,146.38, while in 1887 they amounted to $1,372.37. Mr. White was succeeded in 1870 by Wm. M. Gray, who remained in charge until 1874, when Mr. Scott assumed charge and was succeeded by Stephen H. Burr. The latter removed from the city in 1879, and the office of Superintendent of Water Rents was abolished. In 1883 Mr. Chas. W. McFarlan was promoted from Assistant Superintendent to succeed Mr. Burr, and for nine consecutive years he has been in charge.

The smallest collection in any one year was in 1869 when it amounted to $20.50. The largest was in 1887, when the collections amounted to over $20,000. One-third of the amount will have been applied to meet the expenses of the school, and the balance has been devoted to benevolent and missionary purposes. From this fund a colored preacher was educated, and is now preaching at Charlottesville, Va.

To day the country is supporting a minister who is preaching in upper Burnish. Nor has it been forgotten that "Charity begins at Home," for the children of the neighborhood are annually remembered, clothed, fed, encouraged and gathered into the school. The Young People's Missionary Society has for the past 10 years been contributing to the fund by assisting to educate and support two Karen girls—Mah Myah and Mah Mee.

Two years ago the Young People's Association was organized, and much good has resulted from it. In the Fall of 1886 the Sunday school of the Mt. Olive Baptist church became disorganized, and the pastor, Rev. Mr. Gaskill, called upon the Young People's Missionary Society to take charge of their school. The subject was carefully considered and finally adopted. On October 3, 1886, Mr. Joseph Sayre, who had acquired superintendent of the colored school, then having a membership of 80 scholars. The school has increased in membership to 150. All of the members have been baptized. The report closed by eulogizing the pastor and the society for the good work they have done, and the kindness, attendance, offerings, teachers and scholars of the school, wishing him yet many days of prosperous labor in the Master's vineyard, and of peace and happiness in his home.

The report on "Women's Work" was read by Mrs. J. B. Stelle. In 1869 there were but eight societies in the church of which number 43 are still living. The first society was formed in 1870; in 1873 the Woman's Auxiliary was organized, and in 1875 the Ladies' Aid Society was organized and reorganized two years later. Since 1877 about $3,000 has been raised by the ladies. The Sunday School now has a membership of over 70.

Mr. L. W. Sherrill read the report on Christian Endeavor. In 1871 a Band of Hope was organized. Its members promote church work and to raise money for Home and Foreign Missions. In 1887 the Conventional Society was formed. Its objects are outlined by the committee, and distributed among the various branches of the church work. The Intermediate Committee of the Sunday school assembly by the pastor in December.

The closing paper on "Membership Classes" was read by Miss Lizzie Richards. In January, 1885, a class was formed and numbered 10. Rev. Dr. Tarbox is the pastorate of the church.

The roll was accepted, and the new pastor entered upon his duties in the following October. At that time there were 94 Baptist preachers in New Jersey, and all but two of this number have left college and graduated. The report went on to tell of the number of conventions and baptisms during Dr. Yerkes' pastorate; in 1882, twenty-three were baptized; in 1883, twenty-two; in 1884, twenty-six; in 1885, twenty-three; in 1886, twenty-six; and in 1887, the unusually large number of 148 joined the church. Many other conversions took place in later years, until the church now has a total membership of about 1,200; of this number 674 were converted and 426 were admitted by letter. Out of the 674 persons, 148 joined the church and united with the pastor in 1887, only 97 are still living. Mr. Leonard's report was a lengthy document, and contained many interesting statistics. Space will not permit us to publish it in detail. By closing he paid a fitting tribute to the departed Dr. Yerkes.

A feature of the exercises was the singing by the scholars of the Mt. Olive Baptist Sunday school, and also a hymn by the primary class, both of which were commendable.

The afternoon service closed with a hymn by the congregation. Rev. Dr. Yerkes pronounced the benediction.

THE EVENING SESSION

was conducted by the clergymen of the city. Rev. Dr. Ketchum presiding. The other clergymen present were Rev. C. L. Goodrich, Rev. A. R. Dibs and Rev. W. E. Honeyman. After each of the above had made a address, Mr. Jesse Richards spoke in behalf of the Methodist church. Congratulatory letters were read from the following clergymen, with their addresses: Rev. Dr. Babcock; Rev. E. D. Burr of Chicago; Rev. A. L. Beal of Kansas City; Rev. J. J. Pierson of Woodbury and Rev. Mr. Williams of New York. Rev. Lewis, Rev. W. R. Richards and Rev. C. Schenck of this city.

Rev. Dr. Yerkes also made a short address, after which the audience was dispersed with

CHAT WITH BISMARCK.

AN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT VISITS THE IRON CHANCELLOR.

He Makes the Big Bore of Kentucky Laugh to Think that His Country was Ever Considered a Menace—Views of Count Moltke, Abroad and at Home.

The meeting of men of mental and intellectual strength is impressive, but it is the meeting of men of physical strength that is the more striking. Those are the events which make the world pause and wonder. Such a meeting was that between Bismarck and Moltke, when they met for the last time at Gastein, in 1879. Moltke was then eighty-two years old, and Bismarck sixty-four. Moltke had been the greatest soldier of the century, and Bismarck the greatest statesman. Moltke had won the battles which made Bismarck the master of Germany, and Bismarck had given to Moltke the means of victory. Moltke had made Bismarck the greatest man in Europe, and Bismarck had given to Moltke the power to do the work which made him famous. Moltke was the greatest soldier of the century, and Bismarck was the greatest statesman

SUPPLEMENT.

THE HEAD OF FINANCE.

Secretary Fairchild Tells of the Operations of the Treasury under the Democratic Administration.

HE ANSWERS MR. BLAINE'S QUESTIONS AS TO DEPOSITS OF PUBLIC MONEY IN NATIONAL BANKS.

October 15th, Mr. Charles J. Fairchild, Secretary of the Treasury, spoke to a fluent audience which was waiting in New York to be harangued over hold them, and thus revitalized the work-ings of the Treasury under the Administration.

Secretary Man or New York:

When I have the honor of first addressing you I feel that I am speaking to the people of the whole country, for the people of New York is nearly one-tenth of the population of the United States, and the people of Ohio, of Chicago, of Maine, of New Orleans, of San Francisco, and of the Pacific Coast are here represented. The Treasury of the United States is the property of the people of the United States, and it belongs to them, and I am their servant, and I am glad to be here to-night to report to them the condition of their property. I have not come here to-night to make a political speech. I have come here to-night to tell you what I have done with your money, and what I propose to do with it. I have come here to-night to tell you how I have managed your business, and how I propose to manage it hereafter. I have come here to-night to tell you what I have done with your money, and what I propose to do with it. I have come here to-night to tell you how I have managed your business, and how I propose to manage it hereafter. I have come here to-night to tell you what I have done with your money, and what I propose to do with it. I have come here to-night to tell you how I have managed your business, and how I propose to manage it hereafter.

[Here the applause broke out afresh, and when it had subsided Secretary Fairchild proceeded with his address, which was largely devoted to a statement of the condition of the Treasury, and to a defense of the policy of the Administration in the matter of the deposits of public money in national banks. He said in part:]

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THE HOME MARKET FALLACY.

Uncle Sam.—"I would like to please the farmers, but this will only give me a FAINT IDEA of what I must endure, and I am afraid it will be the biggest tax on me yet."

MR. McCULLOCH FOR CLEVELAND.

HE CONSIDERS TARIFF REFORM THE SUPREME ISSUE OF THE HOUR.

CONVINCING TALK FROM THE MAN WHO SEATED IN THE CABINETS OF LINCOLN, JOHNSON AND ARTHUR.

In an interview with a New York Commercial Advertiser reporter, who was the Secretary of the Treasury under Lincoln, Johnson and Arthur, during the last Republican administrations, and who was also Comptroller of the Currency under Cleveland and Treasurer, and gave up a very lucrative position for conscience sake a few years ago, his first Democratic vote. Here is what Mr. McCulloch said:

"I have always been a Whig and a Republican, he said, but this campaign has brought me to the conclusion that the time has come when I can no longer act with the Republican party. I have served in the Republican party, and I have been content to act with it, and I have been content to act with it, and I have been content to act with it

CARL SCHURZ'S LETTER.

HIS VIEWS ON THE TARIFF, AND THE SURPLUS, AND THE BEST METHOD FOR DEALING WITH THEM.

HE ENDORSES MR. CLEVELAND AND THE MESSAGE FOR DUTY.

The following are extracts from the letter of Hon. Carl Schurz to the New York Staats Zeitung, published in the N. Y. Herald. The letter was written in answer to a letter of inquiry addressed to Mr. Schurz by a number of gentlemen, and which, after stating that they had read with great satisfaction the message of President Cleveland, asked Mr. Schurz for his opinion on the subject:

NEW YORK, Dec. 7, 1887.

GENTLEMEN: Your letter from Washington, dated the 5th inst., has been forwarded to me here. I am glad to learn that you, as well as Mr. Harrison and many other leading Republicans, are of the opinion that the message of President Cleveland is a very able document, and you will open a most fruitful discussion if you ask me to state my opinion on the subject.

I have, from personal observation, that the people are tired of the struggle with the surplus. I have also found that the people are ready to accept any reasonable measure which promises relief. I have been in favor of such relief for many years before the people of the country were ready for it, and I am glad to see that the message of President Cleveland has at last made it possible for you to submit to the views which I have entertained and expressed for many years before the struggle.

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REPUBLICANS WOULD MAKE A CLEAN SWEEP OF ALL OPPOSITION.

The message will, after all, have the public sentiment in the right direction. And it is certain that the effect of President Cleveland's message will be to make the tariff question the issue of the next presidential campaign. It is equally certain that a thoroughly honest victory now would be followed by a reform which would sweep the board in 1888, thereby putting the Democratic party in power for a long time to come. Republicans who are honestly desirous to see their party victorious must therefore be anxious to see the tariff question the issue of the next campaign. Hence I am glad to see that the leaders of the Republican party in Congress, as I learn from the press, are willing to meet the issue boldly. I am glad to see that Mr. Harrison, in his message, has declared himself in favor of a reduction of the revenue, and that Mr. Allison has declared himself in favor of a reduction of the tariff. I am glad to see that Mr. Morton has declared himself in favor of a reduction of the tariff, and that Mr. Sherman has declared himself in favor of a reduction of the revenue. I am glad to see that Mr. Harrison, Mr. Allison, Mr. Morton and Mr. Sherman have declared themselves in favor of a reduction of the revenue by a reduction of the tariff. I am glad to see that Mr. Harrison, Mr. Allison, Mr. Morton and Mr. Sherman have declared themselves in favor of a reduction of the revenue by a reduction of the tariff, because I believe that the Republican party will be compelled to do so, and that it will make Democratic Chief Executives almost impossible for many years to come.

THE MATERIAL MAKING BETTER WAGES.

Nothing could be more exactly antagonistic than the views made by Democrats in favor of free trade and those made by Republicans in favor of protection. Democrats say that protection makes wages low, and that free trade would make wages high. Republicans say that protection makes wages high, and that free trade would make wages low. Now, I am not going to enter into the discussion of the question whether wages are higher in England than in this country, or whether they are higher in this country than in England, because, in spite of all that has been said on both sides, I am satisfied that, as a matter of fact, wages are higher in America than in England, and, therefore, it is quite useless to refer to that question.

WAGES WOULD BE PERMANENT IN FACT.

But, if rightly understood the question of the high wages is, in fact, not really the issue between the two parties. Mr. Blaine has said, and Mr. Harrison has declared in his message, that wages have been high in this country during the last twenty years, and that they are higher now than they were in the year 1860. Mr. Blaine says, and Mr. Harrison declares in his message, that wages have been higher in this country during the last twenty years than they were in England during the same period. Mr. Blaine says, and Mr. Harrison declares in his message, that wages have been higher in this country during the last twenty years than they were in any other country in the world during the same period. Mr. Blaine says, and Mr. Harrison declares in his message, that wages have been higher in this country during the last twenty years than they were in Germany during the same period. 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Our Record of the Past. Our Promise for the Future.

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FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
Allen G. Thurman,
OF OHIO.

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DANIEL MORRIS,
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1st Dist.—FREDERICK C. MAST, Of Elizabeth.
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For Coroner,
ALFRED Q. DENNY.

ATTENTION! VOTERS!!

ELECTION TUESDAY, NOV'R 6, 1888.
POLLS OPEN AT
6 O'CLOCK
A. M.
POLLS CLOSE AT
SUNSET,
4:47 O'CLOCK.
VOTE EARLY!

THE ISSUE.

The paramount issue between the two great political parties at the present time is whether a tariff framed exclusively for our purposes shall now, the prosperity for the continent having long since passed away, be permanently continued as a prop to our corrupted revenues, and a bounty besides upon the rolling squads of our country, or whether it shall be repealed and amended in the interests of honest labor, industrial pursuits, general business prosperity and true protection.

The living question is

REVENUE REFORM VS. REVENUE EXTORTION.

The Democrats justly contend:

That tariff duties are taxes levied upon and paid by purchasing consumers.

That unnecessary taxation is to be closed against your taxpayers, whether it be collected from them directly or indirectly.

That the raising of revenue simply for the purpose of the legislative wastes of government and to provide for public obligations is an imperative demand but to go beyond such requirements, and thereby create a needless surplus, is to throw wide open the passage-way to legislative extravagance and corrupt jobbery.

That a tariff taxation should discriminate against luxuries and in favor of the necessaries of life, and that imports duties ought to be strictly based upon the value of the articles imported, so that the people may receive therein shall not pay a higher proportionate rate than the rest of the community.

That a tariff equitably adjusted would bring relief to fully overtaxed foreign wage competition, and to afford full profit for skill and invested capital in labor is diverted, in Protection, while more than that in Tribute, the entering of money to enrich the few at the expense of the many.

That a steady demand for labor is the surest way to secure for wage-earners remunerative and just recompense, and that to increase such demand, the cheapening of raw materials and consequent enlargement of markets for American manufactured products would prove an effectual means.

That Agriculture, Commerce and Manufacturing, alike the necessities of public and private wealth, deserve and should in equity receive the encouragement of impartial and enlightened legislation.

Such is the sound, sensible and truth-founded position of the Democratic party, as exemplified in the practical and conservative Mills Tariff bill passed by a Democratic House, but killed by a Republican Senate.

Vote for
CLEVELAND, THURMAN AND REFORM.

PRESIDENTIAL.

Before we again go to press the national election contest will be ended, and the successful candidates for President and Vice President designated by a handful of majority registered in each State of the Union.

We have said all that is needful in any one behalf of the Democratic nominees.

Their claims for popular approval have been thoroughly canvassed, their fitness for office abundantly tested.

They are both citizens of exalted reputation, of high worth, patriot integrity and ability, versed in statesmanship, and pledged to dedicate to official duty, for the honor of country and the welfare of all classes of people, untiring and unsullied effort.

No candidate ever presented or was presented for

Vote for
CLEVELAND AND THURMAN.

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A PROPER CANDIDATE FOR YOUR VOTES NEXT TUESDAY.

William R. Johnson Was Also Honored by Appointment as the Governor's Secretary, etc., R. S.

Besides voting for Presidential Electors and a member of the Congress of the United States, it will be the duty of every qualified voter of this city, on Tuesday next, between sunrise and sunset, to cast a vote for a member of the General Assembly of New Jersey, from the 1st District of Union county. Hon. William R. Johnson, of Railway, has been selected as such a candidate, and we have no hesitancy in endorsing him as a most capable and fitted for the office by breeding, education, experience, ability and clean-cut character.

Mr. Johnson was born in the city of New York, April 13, 1843. He is just now in the prime of life, of splendid physique, endowed with indomitable will power and courage, and gifted with that charming trait called personal magnetism. He is popular with all who know him and enlarged by a large circle of friends and supporters of both parties. He has been a resident of Railway for the past ten years, but has never consented to run for office before except on one occasion when he was interfered against his wishes.

This occasion was when appointed for the office of Water Commissioner of Railway, in the Spring of this year. His opponent was Freeholder Wm. Howard, the most prominent and powerful Republican in the city. The latter was to have been run for Mayor, but Mr. Howard's acceptance made it necessary for his opponents to place the strongest candidate to be found against him. Mr. Howard was therefore selected but in spite of his big party backing and political experience, Mr. Johnson was elected for a three-year's term by a majority of 197.

Mr. Johnson has been connected for the past six years with the well-known and popular firm in Jersey City—Messrs. Wm. Harvey & Son, who have been established since 1864. The firm is composed of gentlemen of great wealth, judgment and extended business relations. Their unqualified endorsement is most flattering of Mr. Johnson as a man of the strictest integrity, capability and faithfulness, should he be elected there to represent the 1st District in the latter, after all the State is glanced will have reason to be proud of him, and the interests of the entire community will be augmented by his efforts and his acts.

If every reader of THE CONSTITUTIONALIST is earnest in his desire for good government, and the passage of righteous laws, and therefore asks his vote for Hon. W. R. Johnson as the best choice for member of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, from the 1st District of Union county, he will be elected.

CONGRESSIONAL.

This Congressional District is justly Democratic, and to its representative at Washington, as it has recently been, by an opportune partisan, is placed a vast responsibility. The Democracy now pressing for suffrage a candidate who is in every particular worthy of unlimited and cordial support—JACOB A. GUNDAKER, of the County of Monmouth. Mr. Gundaker is a citizen of unblemished reputation, honored and respected by all who truly know him, and one who is thoroughly qualified to discharge with energy and enlightened statesmanship representative duty, to his own credit and for the benefit of country and constituency.

Vote for
GUNDAKER!

Vote early!

Look out for unlicensed voters. The opponents of the Democratic candidates are desperate.

If the present war tariff taxation is to continue to pay our debts why is it we continually hear of strikes against the arbitrary reduction of wages?

Labor organizations have often protested against free trade, but not one has ever protested against a very high tariff. Organization is the only real protection labor has received.

Free Trade is the best abolition of Custom House duties. Tariff Reform means the repeal of taxation that destroys natural industries and in favor of the home sources of life, and that imports duties ought to be strictly based upon the value of the articles imported, so that the people may receive therein shall not pay a higher proportionate rate than the rest of the community.

That a tariff equitably adjusted would bring relief to fully overtaxed foreign wage competition, and to afford full profit for skill and invested capital in labor is diverted, in Protection, while more than that in Tribute, the entering of money to enrich the few at the expense of the many.

That a steady demand for labor is the surest way to secure for wage-earners remunerative and just recompense, and that to increase such demand, the cheapening of raw materials and consequent enlargement of markets for American manufactured products would prove an effectual means.

That Agriculture, Commerce and Manufacturing, alike the necessities of public and private wealth, deserve and should in equity receive the encouragement of impartial and enlightened legislation.

Such is the sound, sensible and truth-founded position of the Democratic party, as exemplified in the practical and conservative Mills Tariff bill passed by a Democratic House, but killed by a Republican Senate.

Vote for
CLEVELAND, THURMAN AND REFORM.

PRESIDENTIAL.

Before we again go to press the national election contest will be ended, and the successful candidates for President and Vice President designated by a handful majority registered in each State of the Union.

We have said all that is needful in any one behalf of the Democratic nominees.

Their claims for popular approval have been thoroughly canvassed, their fitness for office abundantly tested.

They are both citizens of exalted reputation, of high worth, patriot integrity and ability, versed in statesmanship, and pledged to dedicate to official duty, for the honor of country and the welfare of all classes of people, untiring and unsullied effort.

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SUGGESTED BY SOUTH PARTISAN.

A Communication Offering Suggestions and Criticisms of the Election Ballot to Be Used on Tuesday.

Our readers before voting for their representative in Congress, would probably like to have something of their candidate's Two Thousand Dollars before the opinion of the opposite parties.

The *Inquirer*, the R. publican organ of Monmouth county, said on Oct. 26, 1887, that Mr. Gundaker was not qualified to be an assessor because of his connection with the Standard Oil Company. Yet since then he has been elected to one of these offices, and the *Inquirer* do not seek for office, and have let Mr. Gundaker alone, and have continued to use our columns for their party purposes.

The Freehold *Democrat*, says:

Jacob A. Gundaker went South in the fall of New York, in 1881. His father and his grandfather were both residents of Freehold, and members of this city. He was graduated at Columbia College, and afterwards studied law in the office of Hon. Garret A. Hobart, and entered the practice of law in New York City in 1885, where he still continues.

Mr. Gundaker's father was President for nearly 30 years, and his grandfather was for many years Treasurer of the Freehold Banking Company. Mr. Gundaker has never resided, and says while he has been absent from Freehold he has always considered it his home, and has always voted here. He has always been very active in the city. During his absence he has taken a deep interest in the public affairs of this city, and has manifested on all occasions a desire to promote the welfare of the city. He has been a member of the Board of Education, and has served on the committee of many other important boards.

While Mr. Gundaker has not always been a supporter of the Democratic party, he has never taken hard words or abusive language against the Democratic party, and has always been a gentleman and conducted himself in a manner worthy of the highest respect. He has been a supporter of the Democratic party, and has always been a gentleman and conducted himself in a manner worthy of the highest respect. He has been a supporter of the Democratic party, and has always been a gentleman and conducted himself in a manner worthy of the highest respect.

FACTS THAT EXPLODE THE LIE.

And still the cry goes up that President Cleveland is not a friend of the soldier. But he has signed 1,586 special pension acts since he assumed his present office. Grant, Hayes, Garfield and Arthur signed together only 1,570. President Johnson signed only 431. Perhaps the Pension Bill business is growing as the politicians become more greedy and reckless.

Keep a sharp watch for illegal voters and arrest them on the spot.

The man who would corrupt the ballot box is an enemy to free government, he is a pronounced what they say.

Look out for election lethers. The law provides severe punishment for all such offenders. See that it is enforced.

The employer who seeks, either directly or indirectly, to compel those in his employ to vote against their own free will, is a tyrant of the meanest type. Mark him for public exposure.

Let every citizen who is legally entitled to the ballot exercise that right in obedience to the dictates of his own individual judgment, without fear or favor, coercion or given or promised reward, of any name or description.

We still ask an answer to this quest on: If high tariff makes high wages, why is it that China, that has had a very high tariff for 200 years, only pays common laborers 20 cents per day and skilled laborers 30 cents? Will somebody explain?

If Henry Clay, the father of the American system of protection, was now in the land of the living, his political fellowship would be with the party of Democracy. He could not for a moment stand such arrant partisan falsification as that of carrying a 40 per cent. duty or any other kind of tariff "Free Trade."

We really think the Republican papers ought to pay a little attention to Grandson Harrison, just for form's sake. This selection of Blaine is well enough in its way, but, after all, the real candidate is one Benjamin Harrison, of Indianapolis. He is a truly good man, and his grandfather was very respectable.

The celerity with which Tyner left Cleveland jumped on Minister Sackville West is another evidence of his ability to meet public questions as they arise. The Republican politicians are not smart enough to see this, and continue to set traps for him, with the single result of giving him an opportunity to demonstrate how ably he can evade them.

Gen. Harrison asks of the Democrats: "Do they hope that when the cost is made cheaper the wages of the man or the woman who makes it will be increased?" Certainly. That is just what they expect. Wages will be increased no longer have to pay duties on wool required for admixture they can afford to pay better wages.

The restrictive policy of the Republican party has succeeded in effectually banishing the stars and stripes from the high-way of ocean. Mr. Blaine, the great Republican spokesman, was compelled to voyage homeward beneath the flags of Old England. What a scathing comment on pretended Republican adoration of the American flag and protection to American interests!

Where are those ardent Republican gentlemen who four years ago positively declared they would, in the event of the election of a Democratic President, sell out, stock, lock and barrel, and withdraw from business to escape impending financial ruin? The country is in a sound condition now than it was then, and we fail to hear of a single crushing political that has called himself into the shades of retirement.

Political deception lives, but Truth was never mightier to expose and overthrow it. In 1884 the Republican leaders nearly waved the bloody shirt and proffered national disasters equal to the combined ravages of war, pestilence and famine. In 1888 they parade as an issue of fire destruction, made-up bogeyism behind which to hide and steal away their fraudulent partisan device as though the vast majority of voters were simpletons, instead of being, as they are, sensible thinkers and fast reasoners.

Don't Forget!

Who? Hon. Daniel Dougherty.
When? Friday evening, Nov. 2.
Where? At Morse Hall.

THE STREETS OVERFLOW WITH THOUSANDS FOR CLEVELAND.

Wednesday night's parade of Democratic campaign clubs was a most agreeable surprise to the members of that political party, and enthusiastic to a degree unequaled in extent, in their opponents. The number of uniformed voters in line was the largest ever seen on the occasion of the recent Republican parades.

In view of the fact that Plainfield is a city of over 600 Republican majority, the enthusiasm displayed by the vast throngs that overflowed the sidewalks, and filled the streets, until after midnight to greet their marchers with cheers, was a most agreeable surprise to the friends of Cleveland.

Most of the invited clubs were unable to secure transportation, and without waiting for the arrival of any of the visitors, the start was made shortly before ten o'clock. At the line canoe up Front street with the different companies, and the sight was probably the finest of the kind ever presented in this city. An opportunity was here given for a careful count, and each company and band was found to be complete or the bands and drum corps—as 1,068. Including all who took part in the parade, the total was about 1,200.

The following was the order of the procession:

MARSHAL N. E. FLOWER.
MARSHALS AIDS:
MESSRS. KELLER, FOSTER AND VETTER-LAIR.

Cavalry and Colored Men.
Band.
Hunter Corps of Trenton.
Fusilier Guards of Plainfield.
Drum corps.
Cosmopolitan Club of Elizabeth.
Thatcher Guards of Plainfield.
Drum Corps.
Westfield Cleveland and Thurman Club.
Citizen's Club of Westfield.
Cranford Citizen's Club.
Band.
Tariff Reform Club of Elizabeth.
Plainfield Tariff Reform Club.
Drum Corps of Plainfield.
Citizen's in carriages.
Drum Corps.
North Plainfield Citizen's Club.
Band.
Dodo Club of Plainfield.
Drum Corps.
Plainfield C. F. C. Campaign Club.
Round Brook Citizen's Club.
Middlesex Citizen's Club.
Band.
Eagle Guards of Elizabeth.
Buffalo Engine Corps of Newark.
McPherson Light Guards of Newark.
Arrington Battery of Newark.
Plainfield Battery.

There never was a handsomer nor more creditable parade. The local clubs were all well drilled, many of the visiting bands varied the usual monotony of the march, by evolutions and fancy figures executed with such skill that the applause of the bystanders could be heard for blocks. A number of clever transparencies and novel features added to the attraction of the line. The Plainfield battery's brass gun was drawn by two sheltied ponies in harnessed tandem. The parade was headed by a Decorative light on wheels.

About the centre of the procession was a wagon, decorated with American flags, and with this legend above its roof:

JACKSONIANS OF 1828.
GOOD FOR FIVE YEARS.

In the stage were seated some very handsome grey-headed, but hale and hearty men, who will cast just one dozen votes for grover Cleveland, and who were ages aggregate 936 years. Below is the roll of honor of these Grand Old men, who will vote for the country's prosperity just as they did in the days of the early stages of the country's struggle. Their individual ages are also given.

1	Samuel	H.	78
2	Wm.	P.	78
3	Wm.	Stein	81
4	Wm.	A. Dupree	78
5	Wm.	Crawford	77
6	Wm.	A. D. Banks	78
7	Wm.	A. D. Bunton	78
8	P.	Kirkpatrick	78

"Uncle" Isaac Brown waved from one of the windows of the stage, a bandanna that was waved for Andrew Jackson, sixty years ago. It was bought in Kentucky, and has been in Mr. Brown's family ever since. At the end of the line Mr. Brown had kept it always because his mother treasured it. The other veterans were Messrs. Stillwell and Hetfield, and a number of American flags that were carried by the paraders was greater than in the Republican procession.

It would be impossible to give even an approximate list of the business establishments, hotels and residences illuminated. The display of fireworks throughout the city was also beyond the power of description. At the headquarters of the Tariff Reform Club on East Fifth street, the display was also beyond the power of description. At the headquarters of the Tariff Reform Club on East Fifth street, the display was also beyond the power of description. At the headquarters of the Tariff Reform Club on East Fifth street, the display was also beyond the power of description.

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J. A. DEWHIRST, - - City Editor.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

[Illegible]

—Oh! for a J. M. C. A. telephone.

—The new electric signs have failed this Fall, and like the fall will need retiring.

—The City Council will hold its next regular meeting on the eve of the National election.

—All the farm work for the Fall has been satisfactorily rounded by the mild weather.

—All voters should remember that to vote at least three days before they sign an order and we the undersigned ignore politics in all its branches.

—The members of Mt. Vernon Chapter, No. 18, R. A. M., will meet this evening for work in the Master's degree.

—Those who want work can get a good paying job by reading the ads. headed "Help Wanted."

—Only a few weeks will elapse before the Democratic party will begin to discuss the charter election, which takes place in December.

—We sincerely suppose that many of our readers will be glad when election is over and we can consistently ignore politics in all its branches.

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—Before the weather prophet, predicted a perfect cyclone for Wednesday last. Of course it didn't come. Our only fear is that he will predict the same thing for election day.

—One of the horrorsome in the parade last week, had red noses and trousers stuffed with straw. Mr. Mugwump, who is with Harry Manion, the Democratic candidate for Assembly on Park avenue, is consistently tutoring him.

—The Columbia Social Club gave a hop in Dunlop's Hall, last night. They had but very few couples present and the manager would have succeeded financially, for their labors to make the hop a success.

—Single tickets for any one of the Twelve Chamber Concerts may be procured at Bryants' pharmacy. The first of the course will be given at Seminary Hall, Thursday evening, Nov. 8.

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Mr. McCrosky Sykes of Scotch Plains, had a half-mast wagon accident in the Mud end of Plainfield, Friday, relating to politics in love lovingly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hubbard of West Fifth street, have returned from an extended trip through the West, going as far as Denver.

—Hot coffee will be served to voters during all day and evening of Tuesday next, at the rooms of the W. C. T. U., 72 Front street.

Rev. N. E. Smith, formerly pastor of the Congregational church of this city, has accepted a call to preach in the Congregational church of Plainfield, N. J., and has entered upon his duties there as pastor.

Evan Frankfelder Vanderbeek sees the handwriting on the wall, and has made arrangements to leave this city. He leaves others, to melt salt water on Wednesday of next week, the day after the defeat of Benjamin Harrison.

Master Wm. Van, contestable wite of Dr. H. G. Stephenson, died at her residence, corner of Fourth and New streets, Friday evening, after a long illness from a combination of diseases. She was about 10 years old, and greatly adored by all who knew her.

We have received and handed over to the proper authorities, Mr. C. A. ——, a dollar orders to the value of ten dollars in cash, sent through Tax Payee by Mr. Carl Kuerth as his contribution to the Republican campaign fund. Many of our readers will follow his example?

A letter from Mr. Carl Feininger states that he called from Rahway to New York during next Sunday. Mrs. Feininger will remain in Berlin during the Winter, where she has numerous ons of the most distinguished families in that city.

Hon. Jacob Hats, the Democratic candidate for Assembly from the Fourth District, will address the voters of North Plainfield, in the wigwam on Saturday evening, and assist an hour or two discussing political affairs. North Plainfield should cast a rousing vote solid for Mr. Hats on election day.

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DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING AT MUSIC HALL.

Speeches by Hon. Jacob Hats, Colonel Bishop, Richard Mershon and others.

Music hall was filled to its capacity on Monday evening, when the Democratic party of this city held its last political demonstration in the same evening. The result was that the meeting was one of the largest meetings of the campaign, and was attended by a large number of voters, from all parts of the county, while the Democratic and other towns of a progressive government, flocked to Music hall by the hundreds. The speeches made and interesting addresses by some of the best talent were in the county.

Music Hall was handsomely filled when Mr. Otto Kelly called the meeting to order, including many ladies. A beautiful procession came marching on the stage by the platform, and were applauded on the stage by the audience.

The following officers were elected:

President—Hon. Jacob Hats.

Vice-Presidents—Col. Bishop, Richard Mershon, Hon. W. H. Sandford, Hon. Edward Cornelius, Hon. Benjamin Dunlop, Hon. Henry K. Dalrell, Hon. Wm. A. Cochran, Hon. John Bowne, Hon. Augustus A. Harvey, Hon. Jeremiah Dunn, Hon. Edward D. Irons, Hon. Benjamin Dunlop, Hon. Wm. Van, Hon. Wm. P. Hulsizer, Hon. Wm. B. Murray.

Secretaries—

Richard Mershon, Otto Kelly, Frank L. C. Martin, Hon. Jacob Hats, Hon. Edward Cornelius.

Democratic candidate for Congressman from this District, was the first speaker introduced. He stated that the past year had been a prosperous one for the people of the nation; Democracy, he said, means a government by the people, for the people, instead of the people. He spoke strongly for the Democratic candidate for President Cleveland's past record is a guarantee of his future course, and with such a man as he at the head of the nation, we have no fear. Mr. Hats' speaker, in concluding his brief address, alluded fittingly to the old Roman, as a man worthy of the Vice-Presidency. At the close of Mr. Hats' remarks he was applauded for several minutes.

Prof. Cosin's Corner Band played some stirring airs, after which ex-Governor Chamberlain of South Carolina, was introduced. Mr. Chamberlain is a fluent speaker and discussed the tariff question and the Mills bill in a clear, forcible and simplicity. His illustrations were bright and clear and for the hour or more he spoke his hearers were held.

Mr. Richard D. Wilson was the next speaker and like those who preceded him, he was frequently interrupted with loud and continued applause. Mr. Wilson's address with a reference to the Republican parade in the remark that he was unusually honored by being welcomed into the city by the various bands and drum corps of the opposite party.

On the whole the meeting was one of the most enthusiastic ever held in this city, and the political converts will doubtless be gathered into the Democratic fold before election day. General harmony prevailed throughout the meeting, which is characteristic of Democratic demonstrations.

OBITUARY.

SARAH P. HARPER.

Announcement was made Oct. 27 of the death of Sarah P. Harper, the estimable wife of judge Nathan Harper, which took place at her home on West Second street, at twenty minutes before 3 o'clock Saturday morning. The deceased was born in Rahway, Nov. 17, 1827, and had reached the age of 60 years, 11 months and 10 days.

The deceased was a devout member of the Society of Friends, and during her long residence in this city endeared herself to the hearts of all who knew her. She was a woman of estimable character and true Christian consistency, and by her life had set forth in the community, where she was so well and favorably known. Besides the venerable judge, one son and one daughter survive her.

—Notice!—According to the Secretary union of the cause, this Rev. Dr. Yerkes is a "contemporaneous person."

Y. M. C. A. Organization.

The officers and members of the Y. M. C. A., in called to the host that Mr. W. W. Martin, a graduate of the Brooklyn Normal School of Physical Culture, will teach a class in light gymnastics at the rooms Friday and Saturday evenings of each week.

Miss Martin will teach classes for ladies and children at the same place. The ladies' class will be organized at 4 P. M., Thursday, Nov. 1, and the men's class, the same evening at 8 P. M.

Decided in Favor of Defendant.

The case of Isham et al., vs. Randolph, which was on a writ of error to the Supreme Court, to be heard in the city of Elizabeth, to which the defendant demurred on the ground that there was no allegation of consideration contained in the bill of complaint, was argued before Chancellor McGill at Jersey City, Saturday morning. The Chancellor sustained the demurrer. Counsellor Joseph P. Hamilton Gilhooley appeared for complainant, and Jackson S. Codington for defendant Randolph.

A Card from the President of C. T. U.

It is a matter of much regret with us that the kind and appreciative remarks among some of our friends, that our aims and efforts as a society are biased, made or run, by political influences, and that we are, therefore, favoring toward the Prohibition party.

We hereby unanimously assure them that our organization has not the slightest foundation in fact, and that the subject of politics is utterly ignored in our meetings, our efforts and our work. We are laboring for the boys and girls, that they may be trained to avoid the saloon, to become and profitably; that homes may be made happy and attractive; that fathers and brothers may love the home better than the street; and that our fellow men may be rescued from the curse of intemperance, and led to the attainment of evils, and brought to Christ. God has blessed our efforts in this direction, for many have been redeemed from the cup many have been reformed from the cup many have been saved in His who can save them from this terrible appetite which has inherited so many homes.

We are thankful publicly to the host of our ability and in the fear of God to walk in the footsteps of the Master, who "went about doing good"—praying that in doing we were blessed in His love and sympathy shall be abound; but that lighteousness shall be exalted, and this curse that is blighting every loved home in the land may be removed from this christian city and Nation.

May the mantle of charity fall upon us all, and the spirit of love prevail in our hearts, and may we be found interested in every effort that has for its aim the relief and reformation of the erring and unfortunate. Wishing for the success of the cause of God, being thus bent to our Father's home.

By order Ex. Com., W. C. U. T.

Miss. M. D. Vorhlinger,
Miss. S. Mercereau.

—Sermons Next Day.—Saturday was observed by the people of Elizabeth, and many other synagogues early these

Lawrence Wallace and John Phillips of South Plainfield, indicted for larceny, pleaded guilty. Wallace was sentenced to the county jail for six months, and Tibbs for thirty days.

Mrs. Hendrickson of this city, for assault and battery, was sentenced to county jail for five days.

A Novel Attraction Soon.

Mr. Chas. A. Reed of the law firm of Clark & Reed, and Dr. Chas. S. Thomas, have entered into a contract to wager on the outcome of the forthcoming Presidential election in the event of Cleveland being elected, Dr. Thomas has agreed to shave off his moustache and in case of the defeat of Cleveland Prof. Mr. Reed will keep his moustache. Both of these gentlemen have a luxuriant growth of hair on their upper lip, but in case of the defeat of their party will it, when the result of the election is announced.

Mr. Reed's Loss.

A shovel and some pieces of jewellery was brought to light in this city on Friday which involves the theft of several hundred dollar's worth of four from Mr. Reed's store on West Second street baker. For some time past Mr. Vicki has been missing four from his store locks, and all efforts to trace the thief failed. On Saturday last the mystery of the thief fruition until Friday.

On the corner of the Peter Vicki's store, about the place rented per terrace, and from the basement, and left there, standing near the door. The following morning his four was missing, and suspicion was directed to the Peters family. He consulted Mr. Reed's request, who called at the house on that day to one's away the matter from the back yard. On the back yard, and in the yard was picked man's house the officers found five full and five empty four barrels.

It appears that the Peters family had a habit of stealing a barrel or two of four into his wagon when he called for the manure, and covering the barrels with blankets, would haul them away. Mr. Vicki says he cannot estimate his loss, as the pilfering has probably been going on for a long time. The Peters family are said to be honest and his respectable connections, it is not likely that he will be prosecuted.

The Opening and Work Thereon.

The corner-stone of the Plainfield Gospel and Tent Vereis Society's new building on Somerset street, North Plainfield, was laid with impressive ceremonies on Sunday, Oct. 28. The services took place for the occasion, and a large number of persons were present to take part in the interesting exercises. The members of the Plainfield Gospel Band of Workers and marched over in a body, headed by a fife and drum corps.

The exercises were according to the following

PROGRAMME.

Singing, "The Solemn Day." Reading Scripture. Prayer. Singing. Address. Address. Singing. Address. Singing. Address. Singing

IF SHOES TREES.

A Novel Idea That Was Kept Very Quiet for Some Time.

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Fashion Whimsies.

Fashion Notes.

Millinery Notes.

Bonnet Ornaments.

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THE ELECTION.

THE RESULT IN THIS CITY AND VICINITY.

[illegible] Democratic Gain of 1,500 Reason, Assemblyman Cost Three Hundred Dollars and Numerous of Sincere Hugs.

Election day has come and gone and while the great political strife has not yet quite ended, the country will soon settle down to its routine work, business will boom, and the ordinary [illegible] of office will prevail.

In this city the election was perhaps the most exciting ever witnessed. Even women peddled election tickets on the streets, much to the disgust of many persons. Out of a total registration of 3,300 voters, 2,229 votes were cast in the several wards.

At the polls many amusing incidents occurred. For instance at the Fourth Ward polls, one man, whom it is alleged had voted on former occasions, was challenged, and was obliged to go to Elizabeth and get "papers" before he could cast his ballot. In the Third Ward Rose Jones and others had their votes challenged, while in the Fourth Ward some of the voters were also challenged. Peddlers were on both precincts and canvassers running all day, to carry the aged and infirm to the polls. The special ticketers in front of The Press office attracted thousands of curious persons.

PLAINFIELD.

FIRST WARD.

Republican Majority,	290
Democratic "	227
Prohibition "	9
Whole No. of votes,	526
" registered,	561
Republican electors,	290
Democratic "	227
Prohibition "	9
For Congress:	
John Kean, Jr., R.	287
James Cassidy, D.	227
Noel R. Park, P.	9
For Assembly:	
Joseph Cubbon, R.	290
Wm. H. Johnson, D.	227
H. G. Adams, P.	9
For Coroner:	
Chas. H. Wilson, R.	290
A. Q. Donovan, D.	227
Prohibition "	9

SECOND WARD.

Republican tickets,	290
Democratic "	195
Prohibition "	14
Whole No. of votes,	327
" registered,	373
Republican electors,	290
Democratic "	195
Prohibition "	14
For Congress:	
John Kean, Jr., R.	289
Jacob Gebenhardt, D.	197
Noel R. Park, P.	17
For Assembly:	
John Ulrich, R.	284
Wm. H. Johnson, D.	171
H. G. Adams, P.	20
For Coroner:	
Chas. H. Wilson, R.	291
A. Q. Donovan, D.	196

THIRD WARD.

Republican tickets,	290
Democratic "	146
Prohibition "	18
Whole No. of votes,	444
" registered,	470
Republican electors,	290
Democratic "	146
Prohibition "	18
For Congress:	
John Kean, Jr., R.	287
Jacob Gebenhardt, D.	147
Noel R. Park, P.	17
For Assembly:	
John Ulrich, R.	289
W. H. Johnson, D.	146
H. G. Adams, P.	18
For Coroner:	
Chas. H. Wilson, R.	291
A. Q. Donovan, D.	143

FOURTH WARD.

Republican tickets,	322
Democratic "	350
Prohibition "	16
Whole No. of votes,	728
" registered,	778
Republican electors,	322
Democratic "	354
Prohibition "	16
For Congress:	
John Kean, Jr., R.	327
Jacob Gebenhardt, D.	347
Noel R. Park, P.	15
For Assembly:	
W. H. Johnson, D.	354
John Ulrich, R.	340
H. G. Adams, P.	15
For Coroner:	
Chas. H. Wilson, R.	324
A. Q. Donovan, D.	354

1884.

The following is a report of the vote in this in Plainfield:

For President:						
	1st ward.	2d ward.	3d ward.	4th ward.	Total.	Plurality.
Blaine, R.	303	208	213	277	991	161
Cleveland, D.	247	161	134	249	830	
Butler, P.	9	6	9	11	35	
St. John, P.	7	10	14	9	40	
For Congress:						
Kean, R.	299	194	202	275	970	140
Gibbs, D.	199	154	102	253	708	
Noel, P.	8	9	11	11	39	
Parker, P.	9	11	17	14	51	
For Assembly:						
Kinney, R.	291	199	202	264	956	250
Gibbs, D.	199	135	96	256	676	
Adams, P.	7	5	10	10	32	
Knight, P.	15	15	17	16	63	

NORTH PLAINFIELD.

The fourth in North Plainfield was no [illegible]

FIRST DISTRICT.	
For President:	
Republican electors,	161
Democratic "	120
Prohibition "	19
For Congress:	
John Kean, Jr., R.	160
Jacob Gebenhardt, D.	122
Noel R. Park, P.	19
For Assembly:	
John Ulrich, R.	160
Wm. H. Johnson, D.	122
H. G. Adams, P.	19
For Coroner:	
Chas. H. Wilson, R.	160
A. Q. Donovan, D.	122
SECOND DISTRICT.	
For President:	
Republican electors,	161
Democratic "	173
Prohibition "	12
For Congress:	
John Kean, Jr., R.	160
Jacob Gebenhardt, D.	173
Noel R. Park, P.	12
For Assembly:	
John Ulrich, R.	160
Wm. H. Johnson, D.	173
H. G. Adams, P.	12
For Coroner:	
Chas. H. Wilson, R.	160
A. Q. Donovan, D.	173

TO THE REPUBLICANS OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

The great contest submitted to the arbitrator of, votes, is over. Our grand old and glorious candidates are defeated by that fad to which we, as American citizens, humbly submit. A people never had a nobler, truer and truer Republican, than those embodied in the St. Louis platform, and avowed by Grover Cleveland and Allen G. Thurman.

Our thanks to the intelligence and fairness of the American people, our battle for Tariff Reform embossed principles which every true Democrat holds dear, viz., "Equal rights, equal laws and justice." But all these were sacrificed to the selfish purposes of a band of political tricksters.

But proud and true New Jersey Democrats, let not defeat deter nor swerve us from duty. Let not the fire of battle be dimmed. But let the shape still go forth *Tariff Reform.*

To the members of the "Independent Tariff Reform Club" let me urge that your organization be continued, to educate and advocate a principle as vital to the well being and fortunes of our whole country as freedom to our fathers.

Democrats, let us not be ashamed of our principles. Let us stand true, one and all, for our aid, fealty and friendliness to one and a principle. Worth and merit always carry waves and kindly feeling forward you.

J. S. MARTIN, President,
Plainfield Democratic Association.

What Are the Plainfield Republican Committee Going to Do About It?

The Democracy are the only inhabitants of New Jersey who have cause for any particular elation. The State gave an increased majority for the election of Governor, but the seemingly impossible was attained in the election of four out of the six Democrats, and with the exception of Hudson, where the Democrats have had a long-standing Democratic to ten Republican.

The Democrats have not had a majority in the Senate for many years.

In the election of Assemblymen their hopes are more than realized and the next House will be Democratic by [illegible] votes. The Democratic majority on joint ballot will probably be three votes, close enough to insure to unite the Whole party in the election of a United States Senator to succeed Mr. McPherson. The other legislative events of the Winter, with a Democratic Governor, Democratic Senate, promise to be interesting. The Presidential vote in the State was handsomely small.

Where the Sample Vote Reached.

The returns Tuesday were received at the Democratic national rooms direct from the Western Union wires. Manager Sibley of the District Telegraph Company has also put in a wire for the use of the Democratic headquarters, where Mr. James Cahill received and announced the returns; also in the Republican headquarters where Mr. "Jim" Hodges presided at the telegraph, and in the Baltimore and Ohio office on Pennsylvania avenue, where Mr. Andrew Kenny took the reports with assistants and despatched them.

We Are For Home.

The latest returns as we go to press, show that Democrats have been elected to Congress in the first district, and the re-election of Congressman Cassidy, the new Secretary of State, Frederick Cleveland a [illegible] gap on the fence until the twelfth hour.

A Party Deserted Everywhere.

In speaking of the national campaign which has just closed, the Chicago Tribune says: "The Democratic party was the only organization that presented open, either state or national, to the people. It had its platform, its candidates, its flag, its ticket, its policy for and it went to the front and fought for it. It was the only party that made the campaign an issue. It was the only party that was openly and avowedly for the principle of tariff reform. It was the only party that was openly condemned by the success of the people upon whose attention it was forced."

WHAT WILL WE DO ABOUT IT?

No citizen stands higher today in the estimation and honor of the people of Plainfield and wherever he is known in these United States, than Mr. Otto Arens. Yet even he is not safe from the attacks of a base coward of partisan and a lover of spoils. In the morning issue of Saturday last appeared the following:

The citizens of this community are [illegible] a very evil, one having become rampant in Park avenue. He is a New York lawyer, is all of good appearance, and is the Free Trade question, buying the products of the pauper labor of Europe in preference to that of our own country, with the object of our home industries and drive them and our well paid workmen out of business, that he may secure appropriate situation for themselves. With due to care for the wage-earners, and the protection of our home industries, he is to send other Otto Arens feet, lies and cheats.

All of which he is.

Now, we propose to state Mr. Arens' social position—everybody knows it is to a point—and so also does everybody know, who knows him, that he is a gentleman of honor, and one who looks low after himself first, last or anything, does not exist. He is not an importer but a manufacturer, on the other hand, he has been engaged during the past twenty years in seeking markets in foreign countries for American products. Consequently could any statement be further from the truth than the article we quote above.

Among business men, Mr. Arens occupies a position that is equalled by few. So remarkably high is his place in the admiration, respect and appreciation of the great merchants of New York, that the Chamber of the Board of trade and honor they have called him to, to not without interest.

For two years he served as Vice President of the N. Y. Coffee Exchange, and one year ago was elected its President. For three years he has been on the Board of Managers of the N. Y. Produce Exchange. He has been for several years, one of the Directors of the Maritime Exchange of New York. For four years he has been on the Board of Trustees of the Gratuity Fund of the National Petroleum Exchange and the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange. He is the Gibraltar chosen President of the Tariff-Reform Club of this city, which includes on its roll many of the best citizens of Plainfield and men of the highest character.

Such is the man who in the last of views selected by a contemptible paper to be slandered and vilified in its columns. Well may our citizens whisper: "Who next?" If men of such character are not safe, may not our wives and children be in danger of insult and defamation from the same source. What will we do about it?

The Virginia Controversy.

To the Editor of The Press:—I cannot agree with you that this "Virginia" controversy is receiving more attention than it merits.

I give my reasons: If a public speaker should declare to an intelligent American audience that they could see the flag that when France would rebuild the Bastile, or Spain would restore the Inquisition, or America revive slavery and sell women and children in the auction block, or that steam power, the telegraph and telephone, the lightning printing press, the cotton gin, the coal-gas and electric light, the type-writer, and stenographic art, would all be abandoned in this generation, and the world be relegated to the fatalities of 80 years ago, he would rightly be regarded as crack-brained, a fool or an idiot.

Revolutions political or moral go for ward not backward. Freedom is the natural condition of humanity, and when some resistless power like the Czar of Russia or President Diaz of Mexico, strikes the fetters from a servile race, there is no power strong enough to again force the manacles upon them.

[illegible] Reported from reading are to you.
The ballot-off, are ever won.

Our attention was called in Dr. Vincent's mouth, in an shrewd, as ridiculous, and is unlikely to happen, as any of the events in the supposed address, above referred to.

The American people will as soon abandon railways and go back to stage coaches, as re-enslave the black man, and no man knows that better than Dr. Vincent. His moral character is not impugned, but his mental character is; and it is my knowledge of the varied powers of that character, that led me to deny the charge without any personal knowledge.

It is not by any means a trivial affair, and I think it merits all the attention it has had. You have shifted the grounds of controversy, I see, and you now say that the language was used 6 years ago in the wigwam on Penn street. Very well, I take no exception to your change of base, as I must join on the patriotic shout that "the truth of H. Ar is all you have not furnished any proofs.

You have indeed, as you say, talked with persons who have heard the speech, and were told that the Dr. illustrated his assertion by holding his clasped hands before him in imitation of a manacled negro, and pointing on the imitation blood. Well, this person who told you this will make a capital witness if he will testify. You tell us what he said! Let him tell the public what he asserted and now, over his name.

"Memory" tells us he did not hear the identical words, and of course he may refuse, without [illegible] to testify. The charge still remains unproved, but if you want to be certain of your premises, I will guarantee that you may read the carefully prepared speech of Dr. Vincent's with the wigwam on Sept 26, 1888, and printed from the stenographic notes of James P. Boyd & Son, of Baltimore—which speech was sent me yesterday by a lady—and after a careful reading of that speech, twice over, I am unable to find in it the language put in Dr. Vincent's mouth, or anything in any way resembling it.

And now a word of complaint in conclusion. Do you think it fair to me to hear from the newspapers one sentence of what I did say and print it as my remark?

You print as my remark so much of the following paragraph as is in Italics, and leave out all the rest: "The fanfic of Republicanism does nothing to do with the question of Mr. Winkler or not Dr. Vincent did use the language imputed to him." You ought to have published all or none, or explained. By that power I could prove without doubt that the Bible begotting only the last four words of the sentence: "The fool hath said in his heart, there is no God."

E. W. Runyon.

Plainfield, Oct. 5, 1888.

[All The Bulletin report proves is that it omitted what Dr. Vincent said and which our correspondent is more ready to deny than the Bishop is.—Ed.]

—If the surviving single girls intend to take advantage of leap year privileges they will have to wake up. No one jumped on the fence until the twelfth hour.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

President Marsh called the City Council to order at 8:15 o'clock on Monday evening, and the following members responded to the roll call: Messrs. Brown, Cubbon, Dunham, Erickson, Glenn, Sparks and Watson. Mr. Dumont came in later. The reading of the minutes was omitted.

Petitions for extra street lamps were presented as follows and except where otherwise stated they were referred with power. From property owners on Seventh and Woodland avenues, asking for lights on these thoroughfares for four extra lamps on Clinton ave., for one light on east Fourth street, South of Richmond, and for one residence and property owners on South Second street, asking for suitable light on that street, between Grand and Clinton avenues. The latter petition was simply referred to the Fire, Water and Lamps Com.

The Electric Light Company communicated with Council, regarding the location of additional night lights, and stating that it was necessary to determine upon the number as soon as possible. The communication was filed.

Petitions for hackmen's, cartmen's and peddler's licenses were presented, referred and subsequently granted.

Mr. H. J. Webster appeared before the committee accompanied by a bill for $107 damages to stock, resulting from the overflow of the Liberty street sewer. The matter was referred to the Board of Com.

Cross-walks were asked for at the intersection of Sixth and Liberty streets; also at Fifth and Liberty streets. Referred to the Street Com., with power.

Judge Sutphen called attention to the fact that a valuable horse of his had been permanently injured by breaking through a culvert at South and Grant avenues. He requested that a Committee be appointed to arbitrate the matter and compensate him accordingly. The Judge made no demand, but simply asked for what he considered was right and just. The matter was referred to the Law and Ordinance Committee for investigation.

Communications were received from two street railway companies, with reference to introducing street railway service into this city. One signed by Mr. Leo Dalt, and the other by Messrs. H. Hosea, E. D. Munsell, Edw. S. Sutton and Geo. W. Rockfellow. The Street Commissioner was authorized to listen to the propositions of the two companies, and report at an early date.

An extra light was asked for on East Fourth street, between Washington and Prince streets. Referred with power.

Claims were presented and referred as follows: C. F. Hubbard, $612.50; C. E. March, $7.50; G. M. Anglemyer, 30; D. B. Leonard, 30; *J. Clark*, 105; *J. A.* Rogers, 60.75; Electric Light Co., 563.22; Plainfield Gas Co., 1.30; Bender Mfg. Co., 14.05; T. W. Morrison, $15.70; Tom, 29.10; John Johnson, $115.70 and 43.65; F. A. Dunham, 18.66 and 5.70; *J.* H. Platt, 50.

Police.—T. J. Carey, $75; F. B. Fleming, W. S. Slater, 30; T. McCue, 60; P. Lynch, 60; Geo. W. Grant, 60; *P. J.* Flannigan, 60; Chas. Glenn, 60.

Fire Department.—S. O. Doane, $94.41; H. M. Sherwin, 51.15; Gas Co., 36.55; I. L. Mc Vay, 32; W. S. Slater, 30; W. F. Mann, 31.40; R. Schlenker, 3.80; *J.* Cooney, 10.88; G. M. Anglemyer, 35.75; T. O. Doane, 50.40.

Miscellaneous.—A. M. Titsworth, $182; *F. A.* Dunham, 10 and 45.50; Jones & Co., 80.60; G. M. Anglemyer, 100; Johnson Bros., 180.90; *J.* H. Wilson, 610.65; *J.* T. 185.91; G. M. Anglemyer, 817.94; L. F. Wadsworth, 12.

Sundry poor bills were presented and referred, and the monthly statement of the treasurer was received and referred to the Finance Committee. The quarterly report of the City Physician was ordered on file.

Chief Doane reported that the Fire Department apparatus was in a satisfactory condition. He also recommended the purchase of an extension ladder truck, and keepers from keeping on hand more than five barrels of petroleum or kerosene, except in a building specially erected for the purpose. At a later stage in the proceedings Mr. Erickson introduced an ordinance bearing on the subject. It was read and laid over.

Chief Doane also submitted for confirmation a list of recently elected firemen. They were all confirmed. He further recommended the location of an electric street lamp in front of each engine house.

Mr. Bowers, from the Laws and ordinance Committee, reported that the ordinances on Cottage Place had removed certain obstructions, after suit had been brought against them, and he offered a resolution to the effect that judgment be entered against said encroachers, as a matter of record, but that they be released from paying costs.

The various committees returned the bills referred to them during the evening, and the claims passed into the hands of the Auditing Committee for final adjustment. The above bill of *J.* H. Platt was returned to him.

The Fire, Water and Lamps Committee recommended the location of about 30 additional lights in various parts of the city. The recommendation was adopted.

The Fire, Water and Lamps Committee, were, on motion, authorized to extend the street lighting contract, and the Corporation Counsel was instructed to draw up the necessary contract and bond.

Mr. Erickson reported that electric light poles had been erected along Park Place, where property-owners at first raised objections, and the electric lighting service had been extended along that thoroughfare.

Mr. Dumont offered a resolution to the effect that the money collected for spreading stone on Franklin place, be transferred to the General fund. The resolution was adopted.

The Street Committee, through Mr. Dumont, recommended that a double crossing be laid across Front street, so as to make a continuous walk on the South side of Park avenue. The recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Bowers called to the third reading the ordinance to amend the police ordinance. It was adopted on its third reading.

The auditing Committee reported on the claims, and the meeting adjourned at 9:45 o'clock.

A Novel Election Bet.

A correspondent writes to The Press, inclosing a written agreement as follows: Frank H. Nelson and John Bowman agreed before election that in case Cleveland was elected Mr. Nelson was to draw Bowman about the streets in a buggy, and in case Harrison was elected, vice versa. It is understood that a bond will be given for execution, but the date has not yet been decided upon. There were several witnesses to the agreement.

Cutting Comp.

Mr. Wm. W. Springsteen of 97 Somerset street, North Plainfield, is naturally very indignant because of reports circulated to the effect that he disgraced "long John" behind the door of his barber shop to his democratic constituents during election day.

He says such a charge is only another of the campaign falsehoods originated by the Republican party to defeat Cleveland. Mr. Springsteen voted early in the day—only—was served the voters and election officers by Mrs. Springsteen, assisted by Mrs. Wm. S. Payne. Not even a drop of whisky was sold. The report originated as it was obtained in Mr. Springsteen's shop on election day.

—We may have a no-Senate Council, next year, but it is not probable. The plan of only one branch was suggested by Mr. Wilbur of the First Ward—and it is more than likely that two will be retained.

—The following is an appropriate inscription to look on to the store door, now that cold weather is near at hand:

"If Grace is dead, that gave me rest,
We're not at dead but sleep;
Please call the bell and don't intrude,
For I'm the baby of mankind.
So always shut the door."

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Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending Nov. 3, 1888.

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Anderson, Mrs. Mary
Bailey, Mrs. Ann
Bailey, Mrs. Mary
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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

[Complicated railroad mail schedule tables omitted.]

—Congratulations, of various colors, are now also in all their beauty.

—President Cleveland has designated Thursday, November 29th as Thanksgiving Day.

—The State Teachers' Association will meet in Model Hall, Trenton, on Dec. 26, 27 and 28.

—The Court will reconvene at Elizabeth on Monday, when another criminal case will be tried.

—The Somerset Messenger says: "A portion of the ridge for the Mt Lafayette monument has been completed, and will be ready for Friday's parade, by Tarleton & Bro."

—A job lot of bottle goods twelve months in the year is not to be found every day. Such a package is offered in the "Bee" this week, "Advt."—Salary and all expenses paid.

—The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company have completed their contract with the Erie Railroad Company at Bonnie and on Oct. 30 on their first train from Jersey City over the new branch.

—A well known member of the National game will be seen in Plainfield next season. At the Fourth Ward polls, Tuesday afternoon, one gentleman offered to bet $1,000 notables on Cleveland, and there were no takers.

—Gentle reader, you have recognized with a Caldbeck relief valve and shield? Smith, Perry & Co. are the agents for the sale of the "Iron Prince" for this trial, and the new apparatus was found to work most satisfactory.

—One of the kind wheels on a carriage belonging to Mr. Wm. Hoffman, of Elizabeth, broke down on the corner of Park and North avenues Friday night. Two police officers and gentlemen were noticed in the incident at the time, but time would fail us to tell.

—The date of prayer for young men is all invite, will open with the day of prayer Sunday next, Nov. 11. The week will be approached with a series of meetings in the churches and meetings through the week at the Association rooms.

—A grand fair under the auspices of St. Mary's church, will open to-day in Taylor's building, and will continue for 7 nights, from five to ten o'clock. Refreshments will be served each evening. Admission 10 cents.

—After a long and faithful engagement with the telephone company (by their city, Miss Emma Martin and her sister, Miss Josie, have severed their connection with the company, as operators in the Central office.

—Mr. H. H. Starkey, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was married to Miss Thalia Van Wyck, of Dunellen, on Nov. 1, by Rev. Mr. Jonathan Townley, of Bonnie Brae, Union. The presents to them were very valuable and beautiful. They have gone on an extended trip.

—Right of the late Rev. J. James Bailey who died on Friday last, aged 80 years, took place from the First Baptist church in Elizabeth, on Tuesday, at noon, and was attended by Rev. Dr. Yerkes, the pastor. Interment was made at Clinton, N. J.

—Mr. John F. Huntsman of Providence, R. I., arrived in town Tuesday, and will remain a few days with his wife, Mr. R. F. R. Huntsman of the *Central Times* staff. The latter will endeavor to show his friend that Plainfield is a pretty nice town, as soon as the weather becomes settled.

—The following is from a New York paper, Nov. 1, concerning our well known and popular friends, Mr. Sherry, of Cannon ave., and Miss Hoyer, of Madison avenue: "The handsome and popular Wall street man, yesterday became a partner in the stock-brokerage firm of Baldwin & Sons, of No. 20 Broad street."

—Mr. John Motley and Miss Maggie Keasey, both of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Father Smyth, at St. Mary's church, on Wednesday, October 31. The bride's outfit was brown with bonnet to match. The newly wedded couple have taken up their residence with the groom's mother.

—Mr. James Stewart arrived in this country from Scotland per steamer, "Umbria" on the 22nd inst. Mr. Stewart and wife again permanently located here, after a pleasure trip abroad for nearly three months, having sailed from here early in June. Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss Jessie Kelly in August last, for Scotland.

—The marriage of Miss Helen Frazee Waring, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Taylor Waring, and Mr. Charles Edward Hoffman will take place at Grace church, Wednesday evening of next month, at eight o'clock. A reception will be held at the residence of the bride's parents, 142 Park avenue, from 7.30 until 10 o'clock.

—The death from illness of the boss of William Bergen's horses, of this city, occurred at Bergen's livery stable. The animal was a very fine specimen of the equine species, and was highly valued by his owner. The remains were buried in the rear of the stable, and a fine monument will be erected over the last resting place of the faithful animal.

—One of a family of four, young men from this city, who were practicing on the Cincinnati gridiron, was severely injured on Saturday last, and painfully injured. He was carried from the field in an unconscious state, and a physician finally restored him to consciousness.

—The contract for the prize rod and reel offered by Messrs. A. M. Vanderbeek & Co., of Park avenue, closed on October 31. The prize rod was awarded to Mr. Frank C. Compton, who brought the largest bass of the season, one weighing three pounds, six and one-half ounces.

—This is the farmer's festival, and he is going to be sold. And why shouldn't he? Everybody is getting ready to buy, and the first sort of reading in that which tells what, where and how to buy. For further particulars look further in THE CONSTITUTIONALIST.

—A phaeton belonging to Mr. James Scott of West Seventh street, was run away with on Saturday night, by a horse attached to a buggy containing Mr. Scott and the coachman, Mr. Nelson of them were injured, but one of the hind wheels on the buggy was broken in the runaway.

—The barbers of North Plainfield have had a tough time of it during the campaign just closed. All of the Republican shops were closed on election day, and the Democratic barbers were compelled to do all the work. Democratic barbers were compelled to do all the work. Democratic barbers were compelled to do all the work.

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4 inches	2.50	3.50	5.00	9.00	12.00	16.00
5 inches	3.00	4.00	6.00	10.00	14.00	18.00
6 inches	3.50	4.50	7.00	12.00	16.00	20.00
7 inches	4.00	5.00	8.00	14.00	18.00	22.00
8 inches	4.50	6.00	9.00	16.00	20.00	25.00
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The merchant said that a friend of his, Mr. Brown, a merchant doing an extensive business in the city of B——, had written him a letter requesting the name of a reliable man to act as collector in this city, and that he had recommended me. He stated that he did not know anything about the character and details of the case. He stated that he did not wish to be known in the matter, and that if, on investigation by Mr. Brown, which he had written him he would make, I was found worthy, to deliver it without delay he departed.

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After a few days' consideration, which seemed devoted to deep thought, he said: "I promise you that I will not betray your confidence in any way; we require a large clerical force in our accounting-room; we demand efficiency and no one is retained who is not. We have a number of clerks here acquired their present advanced positions, and who have always, so far as I can speak of the matter, been strictly honorable, and I speak of the matter. So by your invitation, I will say that I have been in the habit of using my position to my own advantage, and have used intelligence to his work. I have been in the habit of using the fact that he has every confidence and the fact that he has every confidence and economy, I have felt myself gradually drawn toward him. I have taken deeper interest in his affairs than I should have in my employer's, and have made myself useful to him in many and was much gratified to find that he appreciated my efforts. I have had control of his salary. Recently, however, I have become involved in speculation, and have used the money for my own benefit. I am sorry that the discovery has disturbed me. When first I observed this change it was but slightly discernible, and I endeavored to put it by myself, and through

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Other States may swing from their moorings, but not the Democratic anchorage of New Jersey holds secure.

Money cannot bribe her.

Falsehood cannot change the faith.

New Jersey is DEMOCRATIC!

IS THIS THE PROSPERITY THAT FOLLOWS REPUBLICAN TRIUMPH?

No answer in Republican columns in the country seemed than the confidence and brokerage on the New York Central Railroad stocks for higher wages. They are anxious to see whether Protection pays.

The November 5, the carrier boarding Extra of E. S. Shepard & Co., of N. Y. 1887, showed out 300 men in the Hardware branch. The object being of course to prevent injury to the business through any possible reform in the tariff. Nov. 5 this firm announced that for the present its force of working people would be employed one-half.

"FOUR YEARS MORE."

It will take less than four years more for the American people to see their mistake in electing Tax Reformers through Tariff Reform.

Workingmen will find that wages are not increased by the tariff, but that they have increased simply as their own organizations for protection, and that capital will pay just what it can afford to pay for what it is obliged to pay.

Workingmen will find, what twenty years of declining prices should have taught them, that a Chinese Wall built will never give them visible "prosperity" any more than it will stop the sun.

Workingmen manufacturers will find that the country will continue to import $60,000,000 worth of goods that they cannot make here because the land it prevents their buying the foreign wool necessary to produce the desired quality.

The great body of consumers will find, when they come to strike their yearly balance, that the tariff is not a benefit, but a burden that the taxes are a robbery.

The taxpayer will find that the verdict obtained for reduction is accepted by the Republican politicians as an approval of everything.

Expenses in a clear administration, but the "campaign of education" will end in Democratic victory in "four years more."

—N. Y. World.

THE HOUSE AND THE VETO.

The issue in the late Presidential election was as the Democratic reform of the present unjust and unequal tariff, in the interest of equitable taxation, increased encouragement to manufacturing industry and labor, and the reduction of the surplus revenue.

Against that wise and reasonable policy the Republicans waged determined warfare, upbraiding without measure the action of war-taxed leaders now in power, and backing their opposition by false and unfounded charges that Democratic reform of the tariff meant free trade, free-trade and Republican ruin.

By that cry and the use of a pile of money they prospered, and we must accept the popular verdict, as patiently resigned, to be against any tariff change.

How can we do otherwise?

How can the Republicans abandon the position assumed during the election campaign without meeting therefrom the charge of ignominious defeat?

The Democratic party will fight for it without compromise, on behalf of the rights of the people and against the wrongs inflicted by monopoly.

Tariff Reform is bound to triumph.

It is only a question of time.

We heartily approve of the following resolution of Governor Hill, of New York, made since the election:

"The principle of Tariff Reform has only met with temporary defeat, because or later it will unmistakably triumph in the interest of the people. The action of the Democratic party was right and deserved to succeed. The argument was with us, and two weeks' longer discussion would have given us the victory. Pursuit is no support that there must be no backtrack taken upon this question. The issue will be encouraged, and the party will stand united in the interest of the whole people must not be abandoned. For the has been united in the past and there is no reason why it should not be united in the future. The Democratic party must be permitted to discharge its duty to relieve the people from unjust and unnecessary taxation. This party established with every obligation to prosecute our final triumph. Let us steadily adhere to the principle of Tariff Reform, and the claim that now dominates the party will soon pass away."

There is a growing anxiety among Republicans as to the proper office to be given Mr. Blaine. That he is entitled to the office of Secretary of State is by right, he being virtually the President-elect.

The recent election discloses a deplorable fact. In the nominations of the party which the leaders of "free trade" have successfully shouted by the Republican leaders, and where the Mills bill was thoroughly investigated and discussed by the people, the Democrats gained votes.

Interest is indicated over the defeat of President Cleveland and the appointment of prominent Democratic Tariff Reformers. He is a owners and manufacturers rubbing their hands in glee at the prospect of controlling the appointment of the carrying trade and markets of the world, and will duly pay

Success that Succeeds.

Rev. W. E. Honeyman presided at the Reform Club meeting Sunday evening. The speakers for the evening were Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, from New York and Rev. W. J. Leonard, both of whom made telling addresses. The meeting was enthusiastic throughout. The Glee Club sang some stirring songs.

OFFICIAL CANVASS OF UNION COUNTY FOR 1888.

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L. FISHER, Postmaster.

—Oh! but a Y. M. C. A. building.

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—Mr. Thomas Dunellen has purchased two horses, which are very attractive.

—Any person who may want a good paying job in or out of town can hear of one elsewhere work offered.

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—F. A. Schlesinger of this city, has joined his fifty-seventh week of stamping, having made the eight operations, chiefly in New York State.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Clark of Dunellen, have returned from their wedding trip, and will make Dunellen their future home.

—Mayor Corley of North Plainfield, on Friday received a letter from a Democratic friend of his. The envelope was of very fine quality.

—Mason W. Tyler, Esq., was one of the tenants of the Parmly Building, on Broadway, New York, that was destroyed by the last of March night.

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Personal Whiffs.

At the residence of Mr. Frank Morris on West Third street, Nor. 8, Mr. Nathan J. Pollard, Esq., was married to by Rev. Percy Wise, in the presence of relatives in this city since the location of Harrison. A large number of relatives and friends were in attendance and after the ceremony congratulations were showered upon the happy couple. A bountiful repast of delicacies refreshments and heartily congratulated the bride and groom. Representatives of the many invited guests for the happy couple.

Choir Music at the German Church.

A choir has been formed in the German Reformed church, "Emanuel," consisting of twelve girls, four boys and a quartette of two ladies and two gentlemen, all under the leadership of the organist of the church, Mr. Hasselmann.

An endeavor will be made to improve and beautify the musical portion of each Sunday's morning service, and it is hoped that a considerable increase in attendance will result from this movement.

This arrangement will take effect on Sunday, December 2, 1888.

He Paid the Bet, all the Same.

Messrs. John Harding, a well-to-do farmer at Bridgewater, and Mr. George Smith, also an employee there, settled an election bet afternoon Nov. 6 by the former wheeling the latter about the village a distance of a half-dozen times in a wheelbarrow. The other railroad men about the station joined in the procession, cheering the performance. The ride was more than a mile in length. The only thing lacking was a brass band, and a transparency with the inscription: "Cleveland's in the Soup."

Wedding Bells.

At the home of the bride's parents No. 45 St. Felix street, Brooklyn, at four o'clock November 13th, the wedding of Miss Clara L. Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Evans, and Wm. N. Tice of Plainfield, took place. Rev. Cleveland Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church officiated, and several party the immediate relatives of the bride and groom, a number of invited guests from this city and elsewhere were present. Miss Ida Evans and Miss Jennie Rice, sisters of the bride, performed the duty of bridesmaid and groom's father, as best man. Lo Vere Cited in the wedding party, where they will permanently reside.

A Novel Exhibition.

We are glad to announce that the members of the Plainfield Cameron Club are preparing a novel exhibition which is to be given next week, commencing Monday evening, Nov. 19, and continuing each afternoon and evening of the week.

The exhibition, which is free to all, will be decorated for the occasion, and rows of ceiling lights will ensure equal illumination of all parts of the hall.

The views contributed to the Y. P. C. A. reception, last Spring, before the organization of this Club, were much enjoyed by those who attended the entertainment, and there will be some very beautiful pictures here. We have no hesitation, however, boasting that they will be far surpassed by those of the present exhibition.

It is proposed to have the audience photographed each evening at nine o'clock, by the flash light.

Quite a Time.

Quite a large, and a very select audience as well, assembled in Seminary Hall, evening Nov. 8, in attendance and enjoyment of the first of the Vendue entertainments, given for the benefit of the Church. The success of the affair assures for the coming concerts even a more extended patronage.

Messrs. Mr. Venino, the Beethoven String Quartette also received the unqualified endorsement of the cultured audience present. Each number rendered by them excelled, and every music lover in this city and vicinity should take advantage of the opportunity of hearing it at the next concert. Miss Lizzie Hall also accorded a hearty recall at the close of her solos, and the Quartette was compelled by the applause, to repeat the "Trio and Quartette" from overture, in D minor," by Schubert.

FIRE on NEW STREET.

A fire in the William Sims house at the corner of Fourth and New streets, destroyed ten o'clock Friday, A. M. It was discovered at one time to result in a serious conflagration, and was only checked by the prompt and heroic efforts of the fire department, and only occupants of the house at the time.

Mrs. Isabella Shellenger, a widow lady, occupies front rooms on the third floor. Between nine and ten o'clock that morning, she removed the bedding and placed it on a chair near the stove. Then she went down stairs to get her breakfast, and left the bed-clothing to look after. When she returned to the room the mattress was on fire in a blaze. Mrs. Shellenger shouted lustily for help, and Miss Whittaker, another boarder in the house, responded with a bucket of water.

The two women fought the flames heroically, and with great difficulty they succeeded in extinguishing the fire. A few minutes more would have totally consumed, besides a feather bolster, two chairs, three chairs, the carpet and other articles of furniture in the room. Fortunately the mattress was not ignited, or the bedclothes would have been incompetent to battle with the fire. As it was Mrs. Shellenger's loss will be fully covered by insurance, the total loss on the room and furniture will probably not exceed $150.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wheeler of Madison avenue, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on evening of Nov. 7, by holding a golden reception. The house was filled with friends, including the children and grand-children, guests were present from New York, Connecticut and other Eastern States, as well as a large contingent of gold coin being included. During the afternoon the guests sat down to an elaborate dinner, and in the evening the entire family gathered about the bride and groom and the ceremony that followed in the M. E. church.

After the ceremonies had been lowered in the grave, the students sang, "We shall meet beyond the River," and one of their number, Mr. Lathrop, offered prayer. Mr. Woodward, another student, pronounced a benediction, and after all had broken from the astounding bridge a branch of evergreens as a memorial of the event. The party proceeded to the M. E. church. Here awaiting them was the dead man's sister and the Rev. Mr. Potter, pastor of the church she attends at the home in South River.

The ceremonies at the church consisted of singing by the students led by Prof. Hutchinson of North Plainfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler of New York City and Mrs. Doctor Stoddard and Miss Stoddard of Seymour, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler's children are Mrs. Charles Lockwood, Mrs. Geo. W. Sly, Mrs. W. E. Lowe and Mr. Henry M. Wheeler, all of whom were present. Mr. Wheeler is well-known, as far and known, in today living, who attended Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler's wedding fifty years ago.

The anniversary gifts were many and they were those who participated, and all unite in expressing a hope that the remaining days of the venerable couple may be peaceful unto the last.

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The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was omitted.

Under the heading of "presentation of petitions and communications," a petition was received asking for a sidewalk on Green Brook road from Washington avenue to Middlebrook. Referred to the Street Com.

A petition was also received, asking for a crossing on the easterly side of Grove street at the intersection of Mercer avenue. Referred.

Petitions for peddlers' and carriage licenses were presented and referred as follows: Peddlers' license, M. T. Mulford, peddler's; J. C. Mosher, carman's.

A communication was read from Geo. P. Sayre, stating that the $27.42 had been received from the Mayor and Council of the borough in full payment of the cost on the discontinuance of the ..... Mr. Sayre also stated that the ..... the Supreme Court on Certiorari. The paper relieved the borough from further discomfiture.

The clerk submitted his monthly report which was received and ordered on file. It was as follows:

On hand one month ago ..... $ 0.00
Received for licenses, etc. 7.50
Expended 10.00
Balance on hand 2.50

Claims were presented and referred as follows: Times Printing and Publishing Company, $6; S. J. McCutchen, 1.92; J. Coddington, 37.50; Gen. Conover, 10.36; Plainfield Gaslight Co., 6.75; H. H. Baker, 104.86; Tom Morrison, 21.25.

Mr. McKee, from the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee, to which committee was referred for investigation the matter of Warren Engine Company's resignation, reported, according to a recent alarm of fire, reported that the committee had sought additional evidence against the members of the company, but that the reported in favor of relieving the company from further blame. He also stated that the committee would report at the next meeting in connection from the Plainfield District Messenger and Fire Alarm Company. The committee, he added, was in favor of putting the street lighting contract. The report was received and filed.

Mr. Esmond, from the Committee on Licenses and Bonds, reported favorably upon the above license applications, and they were granted.

Mr. Needham, from the Auditing Committee, made a minority report on the above claims, and with the exception of the claim of H. H. Baker, they were ordered paid.

Mr. McGee offered a resolution in effect that the sum of $42.42 be drawn to the credit of Geo. P. Sayman in full settlement of the said bench warrant matter. The additional five dollars was on account of one of the hackmen who refused to "settle."

Mr. McGee read a communication from Manager Sitter of the District Messenger office, in which he agreed to furnish a messenger boy, and to put in a call bell, to locate four fire alarm boxes and to place a bell in the Engine house and also in the driver's house, for $30 a month. The communication was referred to the Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps, with instructions to confer with the Board of Fire Commissioners, and report at the next meeting.

A point in the proceedings the regular order of business was suspended to allow Mr. Hegeman, from the Street Committee, to read the following report. He said the petitions for sidewalks had been favorably considered, and in all but one instance (that for a walk on Green Brook road) the petitions had been served. The old Sock road has been permanently regulated as far up as the house, entered, at a cost of $150, the committee also borrowed $300 as authorized at the meeting a week ago. The report was received and filed.

Mr. Hegeman offered the Special Committee, appointed to draft suitable rules, to govern the Fire Department, submitted an exhaustive document in relation thereto. It was read by sections, amended, and adopted as a whole.

The meeting adjourned at 9.45 P. M.

Trinity Reformed Church Officers.

At the first regular meeting of the newly elected officers of Trinity Reformed church, held on Wed. 7th inst., Mr. Gayle was elected Treasurer of the church, and Mr. Daniel VanWinkle was chosen clerk of the consistory. The following were appointed on the Standing Committees for the ensuing year:

Finance — Messrs. R. A. Hegeman, Daniel VanWinkle, O. W. Dunham.

Benevolence — Messrs. D. D. Force, Daniel VanWinkle, H. E. Gayle.

Prayer Meetings — Messrs. P. P. VanArsdale, Alex. Willet, O. G. Dodifer.

Sunday-school — Messrs. R. R. Field, Alex Willet, H. E. Anthony.

Supply — Messrs. J. K. Arnold, P. P. VanArsdale, Daniel VanWinkle.

Pew — Messrs. Daniel VanWinkle, A. L. Force, O. W. Dunham.

Music — Messrs. O. W. Dunham, Randolph Theodore, Jas. R. Arnold.

Sunday School — Messrs. E. E. Anthony, H. E. Gayle, G. Q. Dodifer.

Christian Burial.

It was a noble band of young men that stood with bared heads in the pouring rain, Saturday, about a newly dug grave in a pretty plot located in a retired portion of the Evergreen Cemetery. In the grave was deposited a handsome coffin containing the remains, that had just been removed from Potter's Field, of Edward L. Miller, who murdered at Westfield a few months ago.

The deceased had, during past Winter terms, been a student at the Theological Seminary, and the young men who gathered around the new grave were fellow members of the Philomathean Society of that institution. They were taking part in a most commendable act of sympathy for the bereaved ones, by having the remains at their expense placed in a consecrated grave with the proper ceremonies of religion.

Mr. W. J. Leonard, editor of *The Second Floor*, has taken a deep interest in the matter, and who secured the donation of the plot for the purpose, also accompanied the students; and Chief John Kenny and J. M. C. Marsh were present at both the grave and the services that followed in the M. E. church.

After the coffin had been lowered in the grave, the students sang, "We shall meet beyond the River," and one of their number, Mr. Lathrome, offered prayer. Mr. Woodward, another student, pronounced a benediction, and after all had broken from the astounding bridge a branch of evergreens as a memorial of the event. The party proceeded to the M. E. church. Here awaiting them was the dead man's sister and the Rev. Mr. Potter, pastor of the church she attends at the home in South River.

The ceremonies at the church consisted of singing by the students led by Prof. Hutchinson of North Plainfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler of New York City and Mrs. Doctor Stoddard and Miss Stoddard of Seymour, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler's children are Mrs. Charles Lockwood, Mrs. Geo. W. Sly, Mrs. W. E. Lowe and Mr. Henry M. Wheeler, all of whom were present. Mr. Wheeler is well-known, as far and known, in today living, who attended Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler's wedding fifty years ago.

The anniversary gifts were many and they were those who participated, and all unite in expressing a hope that the remaining days of the venerable couple may be peaceful unto the last.

—Indian Summer has passed, and we are now prepare for genuine Winter weather.

—One self-imposed person dropped a tear and dime on the collection plate in one of the churches Sunday morning. He thought it was a penny, but the former could not tell the difference between the genuine and spurious coin.

Resolutions of the First President.

There is on view at The Press office, one of the steel engraved invitations issued in 1841 to the Inauguration Ball of President Harrison. It requests "the honor of Mrs. R. A. Nicholson and lady company." We have also a piece of hair from the grave of Gen'l Harrison who died April 4, 1841, and a branch of laurel leaf with crape from the deceased's pall in Philadelphia, April 30.

These relics belong to Mrs. R. A. Munton, of this city, whose mother was a cousin of the Mrs. Nicholson mentioned above. Mrs. Munton is also a connection of the late Admirals Farragut and Peacock.

For the Sunday-school Concert.

The members and friends of the German Sunday school had a very pleasant evening, Nov. 7, at a entertainment for the benefit of the school was given by the never-tiring ladies of the Christian Union Society.

There were good recitations and songs during the evening, all creditable to the performers. The recitations were given by Masters Frank Frost and Fred Hoffman, Miss Lang, Miss Fick, Miss Hoagin, Mrs. Jaeger, Mrs. V. Utz sgr and Mr. Hasselmann. The songs were by Misses Nellie Mosher, Master Harry Frost and Miss Neiss. Solos and a trio by Miss Seibel, Mrs. V. Utzinger and Mr. Hasselmann.

After the entertainment refreshments were served in a pleasant manner by the ladies. A net sum was cleared. A fine stock was given for the Sunday school room by a good friend, and all were happy.

Local Weather Report.

Plainfield's temperature, prevailing winds and rainfall for the past week, are as follows:

THURSDAY'S.

Day.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Prevailing Direction.	Rainfall.	Temperature.
4.	56.00	38.00	47.75	30.00	clear	N.W.	0.00
5.	58.00	36.00	47.00	30.00	clear	N.W.	0.00
6.	64.00	41.00	52.50	30.00	clear	N.W.	0.00
7.	64.00	41.00	52.50	30.00	clear	N.W.	0.00
8.	59.00	33.00	46.00	29.00	clear	N.W.	0.00
9.	59.00	33.00	46.00	29.00	clear	N.	0.00
10.	59.00	33.00	46.00	29.00	clear	N.	0.00
11.	52.00	29.00	41.50	7.00	clear	S.W.	0.00

M. S. SIMMONS, M. D., Observer.
H. J. Rose Weather Service.

Hamburg Figs for the Liver.
Habitual torpidity of the liver is a functional derangement and should not be so long neglected as to generate actual disease. HAMBURG FIGS should be taken, each night, as a mild, yet effectual, cathartic, and a gentle tonic, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

Corporation Notice.

CITY REGISTRATION.

The Boards of Registry of the several wards of the city of Plainfield will meet at their respective places of registration, as designated below by the Common Council as polling places, on

Tuesday. Nov'r 27, 1888,

Beginning at 8 o'clock in the morning, and remaining in session from day to day thereafter for the purpose of revising and correcting the registry list of said city, and adding thereto the names of all persons entitled to vote at the charter election for said city, to be held on the ensuing municipal election, to be held December 4, 1888.

From the Second Ward—a Member of the Common Council; a Constable; and a Justice of the Peace.

From the Third Ward—a Member of the Common Council; a Constable; and a Justice of the Peace.

From the Fourth Ward—a Member of the Common Council; a Constable; and a Justice of the Peace.

The Polling Places.

As designated by the Common Council, are as follows:

1ST WARD.—Council Building, Broadway.
2D WARD.—Mulvihill's Livery Stable corner.
3D WARD.—Alex. Rose Company's House, Madison avenue.

Polls Open at 8 o'clock in the Morning and Close at 5 o'clock P. M.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to Regulate Elections," approved April 16, 1846, and Supplements thereto.

OLIVER R. LEONARD,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., November 15, 1888.

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TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the city of Plainfield, who have taxes assessed against for the year 1 will be now due and payable, and that I will attend at my office, No. 5 TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF DECEMBER, next, for the purpose of receiving the same, with their respective interest, and will be found at the City Judge for that purpose.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation, will meet at the Council Room, on the Fourth Tuesday in December next, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of hearing appeals, if any be required.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 1, 1888. 12-2-1m

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WHILE IT IS DAY.

If I must live within the thought of sin,
Forgetting of man's misery and his God,
Which only and evermore I must be in
Who take and accept of worldly good,
Then, Lord, I pray
Thou wilt not let me stay.

If I must live in selfishness and hate,
Nursing my pleasure or my pain,
Which only and evermore I must be in
Who live for self and not for Thee again,
Then, Lord, I pray
Thou wilt not let me stay.

If I must live in pride of heart and mind,
Thinking myself of more account than all,
Which only and evermore I must be in
Who hear Thy voice and will not hear Thy call,
Then, Lord, I pray
Thou wilt not let me stay.

But if I may live in love to Thee and man,
Living Thy life and following in Thy way,
Which only and evermore I can be in
Who take Thy yoke and learn Thy truth each day,
Then, Lord, I pray
Thou wilt not take away.

—Frances Ridley Havergal.

CAT DRIVING IN FLORIDA.

How the Ice-Powered Horseless Car Is Running Through Sparsely Settled Districts.

Charles Cat, one of the pioneers, a few years ago, of the cattle industry in Manatee County, Fla., and who is now a resident of Bradenton, the county seat, is the inventor of the wheel. He is a genius in his way, and has made a success of his invention. He has a patent on it, and is now engaged in manufacturing wheels for the trade. The wheel is a peculiar one, and is made entirely of iron. It is a combination of the old and the new, and is a cross between the wheel of the ancient chariot and the modern bicycle. The wheel is a large one, and has a broad tire. The spokes are very heavy, and are set close together. The hub is also very large, and is made to hold a large quantity of grease. The wheel is designed for use on a car, and is intended to be run by ice power. Mr. Cat has had a car built, and has been running it for some time between Bradenton and Manatee, a distance of about seven miles. The car is a queer looking affair, and is not unlike the old-fashioned stage coach in appearance. It is built entirely of iron, and is very heavy. The wheels are of the kind described above, and are very large. The car is run entirely by ice power. The power is applied to the wheels by means of a small engine, which is placed under the car. The engine is a small one, and is not unlike the engine used on a locomotive. It is run entirely by steam, and the steam is generated by means of a small boiler, which is also placed under the car. The boiler is fed with ice, which is placed in a tank on the car. The ice is melted by the heat from the boiler, and the water is then pumped into the boiler by means of a small pump. The car is run entirely by the engineer, who sits in front of the car, and has charge of the engine. The car is run at a speed of about twenty miles an hour, and can be stopped at any time by the engineer. The car is run over the track of the Manatee River Railroad, and has been running for some time. The company is now building a track of its own, and will soon have the car running on it. The car is a curiosity, and is attracting a great deal of attention. It is the first car of the kind ever built, and is the only one in the world. The inventor is a man of about forty years of age, and is a native of Florida. He has been in the cattle business for many years, and is well known throughout the State. He is a man of great energy, and is always on the lookout for new inventions. He has a number of other inventions in his mind, and intends to build them as soon as he can get the money. He is a man of few words, but is very pleasant to talk with. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and is a man of high character. He is married, and has a family of children. He is a man of great wealth, and is one of the most prominent citizens of Manatee County. He is a man of great public spirit, and is always ready to help any enterprise that is for the good of the community. He is a man of great generosity, and is always ready to help the poor and needy. He is a man of great kindness of heart, and is loved by all who know him. He is a man of great courage, and is not afraid to face any danger. He is a man of great determination, and is not easily discouraged. He is a man of great perseverance, and is always ready to work hard for what he wants. He is a man of great ambition, and is always striving to better himself. He is a man of great intelligence, and is well informed on all subjects. He is a man of great wisdom, and is always ready to give advice to those who need it. He is a man of great judgment, and is always ready to make decisions when they are necessary. He is a man of great discretion, and is always careful not to say or do anything that he may regret. He is a man of great tact, and is always ready to say the right thing at the right time. He is a man of great diplomacy, and is always ready to settle disputes between others. He is a man of great peacemaker, and is always ready to bring about reconciliation between enemies. He is a man of great philanthropist, and is always ready to help the poor and needy. He is a man of great benefactor, and is always ready to give to charity. He is a man of great saint, and is always ready to pray for others. He is a man of great martyr, and is always ready to suffer for others. He is a man of great hero, and is always ready to risk his life for others. He is a man of great god, and is always ready to be worshipped by others. He is a man of great devil, and is always ready to tempt others to sin. He is a man of great angel, and is always ready to help others to heaven. He is a man of great man, and is always ready to be a man among men. He is a man of great human being, and is always ready to be a human being among human beings. He is a man of great creature, and is always ready to be a creature among creatures. He is a man of great thing, and is always ready to be a thing among things. He is a man of great nothing, and is always ready to be nothing among nothings. He is a man of great all, and is always ready to be all among alls. He is a man of great everything, and is always ready to be everything among everythings. He is a man of great nothing, and is always ready to be nothing among nothings. He is a man of great all, and is always ready to be all among alls. He is a man of great everything, and is always ready to be everything among everythings.

Pullman Married Life with $20,

I started from Bangor a Pullman in a pleasant interview that he was the first to make the trip from Bangor to Boston in a Pullman car. He was tired and exhausted, however. His manner was not at all boisterous. He was quiet and modest. He was a man of the world's work that was done by the Chinese was left to the Irish. And of a man already established on the Pacific coast, and who had gone to Boston to be married. It is one of the things that are not to be done in a hurry. Miss Pullman, he said, was a native of Boston, and therefore we merely have to—Cassie Wallace.

If the Body Is Subject to Disease,

such loss of time, or from any cause, such disease readily take place; therefore it is well to keep the blood pure and the system regulated, and this can be accomplished by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is not guessed that the best blood purifier, tonic, and invigorator that can be made. It is the only one that can be relied upon to cure all diseases of the blood, from a common blotch or pimple to the worst scrofula

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The Constitutionalist.

W. L. FORCE. A. L. FORCE.
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

THE PARTY OF DEMOCRACY.

From 1800 to 1860, both years inclusive, the Democratic party was founded in all conventions Presidential candidate.

It was particularly during that period to the effect that the Democratic party was the only national Republican party that ever existed. Democracy was formerly associated, but forged the hope of revival.

We hear less of such trouble at the present time.

The loss of Democracy have evidently learned that political history is not idle business.

For twenty-four years the Democratic failed to recognize a President, yet their political organization never was stronger, never more compact, nor more regularly at the time for action arrived the party was found in battle array fighting with unconquerable vigor against every species of opposition.

So it will continue to be.

In victory or defeat the Democratic party is always armed, always ready to do valiant service on behalf of the original and cherished constitutional principles and popular rights.

From that position no human power or temporary combination of hostile parties can drive it.

In 1840, the historic hard cider and Tippecanoe and Tyler campaign, William Henry Harrison was elected President by a large majority over Martin Van Buren.

Four years later, under the leadership of James K. Polk, the Democratic party regained the control with abolished force and achieved a signal triumph over the slightest Whig champion.

In 1852 the Whigs again elected a President, their candidate being General Winfield Scott.

What was the banner of the Democratic party?

In 1852 it swept the country like a cyclone, electing Pierce President, and planting its victorious standard within every State of the Union, except four.

The Democratic party lives to fight and always victorious win.

PARTY DEFEAT.

As soon as the Presidential election is over we shall have to partake of the Radical Congressional Ballots, calling Republicans, urging that carpet wools is placed on the free list," and the *Fiber and Plastic*, another anti-Dem cratic paper, declaring that not only free wool, but free raw materials, would be a boon to the manufacturers of the United States, making an exception of cotton.

Then what the tariff and substantial tariff doctrine advocated by the Democratic party, and for no doubt Republican editors, speakers and political shouters, of high and low degree. From Maine to California, denounced the Democratic as the free trade conspirators bent on destroying the vital industries of the country.

Richmond is now accumulating which Indiana upon the Republican partisan under the false liberty of their cry of "free trade" as treasury surplus and protective against Democratic Tariff Reform.

The issue was rightfully made by President Cleveland and honestly understood and accepted by the people by the party to which he belongs.

There was no deception about it.

It meant practical and progressive protection to the working masses, and free trade that to be a last better that the enemies of Democracy.

Reform of the present unjustified class favoring tariff, which makes millionaires of the few at the expense of the many, and which yields a surplus in excess of legitimate political expenditures, is and will remain a living issue.

Money and strikes may currently influence elections, but truth and right remain unperishable and unconquered.

Democratic Tariff Reform has been grossly misstated in the manufacturing districts, where the workingmen are organized the practice and deliberately deceived as a trick of unprincipled politicians against the leaders of "free trade."

Like intelligence will widen and grow stronger.

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Count that day lost whose low descending sun
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		Hair steamed and picked,	5c. per lb

Where You Read Something.

In the Union County Court at Elizabeth, before Judge McCormick, Nov. 21, Wilbur Van Rood, the thirteen-year-old boy charged with killing Mrs. Jones, was convicted at the last term of court, for setting fire to the American Steam Laundry building on East Front street during September last, and was sentenced to the reformatory. Judge McCormick addressed the youthful prisoner to the Reform School, at Jamesburg.

Successful Entertainment.

The M. J. Pharmaceutical Association at its last annual meeting, adopted a series of resolutions of which Mr. H. P. Kingsbury was one of the framers, that were tallied forth by the resignation of Mr. Wm. Bond who had been the Treasurer of the Association since its formation. The Association have been augmented in a volume of handsomely mounted pages, by Mr. Wm. M. Smith, of this city, the artist who has also contributed many of the city's grounds views to Chief Dodd. The work spoken of above is on exhibition at Reynolds' pharmacy, where all are welcome to an inspection of it.

Is Only Behind One Day Last Week.

The local weather for the week just passed was as follows:

Day.	Thermometer. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Range.	Direction of Wind.	Velocity of Wind.	Precipitation. Rain.	Snow.
11	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		
12	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		
13	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		
14	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		
15	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		
16	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		
17	60	36	48	24	S. W.	6		

M. A. SCHOOLEY, M. D., Observer.
W. J. PARK Weather Service.

An Elegant Mansion.

The handsome new residence of Mr. Leo. Daft, the electrician, at the corner of Richmond and Putnam streets, is beautifully completed, and Mr. Daft will take occupancy in the course of a few weeks. The exterior of the building is beautifully designed, and the interior is being fitted and furnished in a manner to suit hard decorations. Massive fire-places of brick and porcelain occupy prominent positions in the reception and sitting rooms, and a full work of electrical wires for incandescent lighting, etc., are distributed through the building. The house is decidedly located, and will be an ornament when completed.

Presentation to Capt. Poole in Chester.

Twenty-five dollars will be given to Mahlenberg Hospital, and twenty-five dollars to the Ship Children's Home, with the amount remaining in the hands of the Treasurer of the Cleveland & Thurman Tariff Reform Club, after the payment of all bills and expenses incurred by the Club during the past campaign.

At a meeting Tuesday, the members voted to dispose of the funds, and to pay the amounts stated above. The Treasurer will hold the balance a few days in order that any claims that are not known of may be presented and settled. A new Club will eventually be formed by the members of the old one which disbanded last night with resolutions of thanks to its officers.

The Westfields Bowlers Score Their Victory.

The first bowl of the season took place Nov. 15, in Cadet's Club House at Westfield. The match was between the "Ramblers" of that town and a picked team from Roselle and Elizabeth.

The Westfielders gained a creditable victory as follows:

RAMBLERS.		PICKED TEN	
Schmidt	131	Kratz	102
Alpers	139	Foster	140
Hoffman	111	Hall	140
Jackson	111	Priest	91
Marquand	104	Miller	110
Hall	102	Hall	110
Moore	102	Sage	102
Bonnell	102	Shaw	102
Herbert	102	Stroud	102
Whitaker	102	Sterling	102
Total	1,407	Total	1,393

A PLEASANT TRIP.

Usually members and adherents of a defeated political party are invited by the opposite party to take a sniff at the refreshing locality termed Salt River, and there ruminate and ponder over the results and causes of a past campaign. Democrats of a number of wards in this city got to this folded place last Wednesday, excursion tickets being issued by the victorious party and not address offered to passengers.

Such things occur, however, as passengers taking the wrong train; and that is just what happened to one of our ardent adherents who was on his way to the Democratic and clean administration. Accepting his yellow pass from a kind Republican friend, he boarded with his bottle-full for a "trip" and when the train arrived at its destination he found that he was in that great old town of Chester, N. J. Nothing daunted, he made his way to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram H. Econg, situated about two miles from the Democratic town of Chester. Here they were cordially welcomed and kept for several days. With music and song, such as only "Sam" can give, the hours were passed in pleasure and enjoyment, and our celebrities in the outside political world.

By an understanding between all parties, politics was not mentioned—enjoyment and pleasure was the word, and "right smart" were they enjoyed. "High Daddy" and his estimable wife made every one of their friends feel at home, and right royally did they do it in this case. Rain kept all hands in-doors for a couple of days, but music and mirth prevailed and the sons of Neighbors and friends flocked to the hospitable farm house to hear the wonderful strains from the Chief's violin. Many friends and invited times were numerous to visit adjoining homesteads; all of which were accepted and enjoyed.

Especially enjoyable was the last—that on the invitation of Miss Louise DeCamp, sister to the host, which occurred on Monday evening last. There was gathered a large number of guests, and the evening was among whom the writer calls to mind: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Squires, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cornish, Mrs. Evans Mason, Miss Hattie King, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crozier, and son Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. DeCamp. It was a good "old-fashion" party, and long will the refreshments be a treat. White meats and meats pounded, pone, helpless great-grandmother Dr. Jones' cake, and all pleasures open at the tavern gate, and pleasantness, many of whom trust that her few remaining days may be free from pain.

The party was devoted to rabbit hunting. Guided by such experienced hunters as Messrs. Parks and Pettis, with their keen scented dogs, "Jack" and "Bellus," and "Bob" owned by the "silent scholar" the rabbits were gathered in until the latter cried "enough." If Chester, N. J., is the inventress of Salt River and High Daddy the proprietor of the only Democratic Republican and good time besides. They have prayed two sound pieces by Tschaikowsky and Taubert with success."

—An exchange says: "Some one once called coffee lucre."

MINDAH LODGE ENTERTAINMENT.

Everything in the way of entertainment was furnished Mindah Lodge, I. O. O. F., assembled in Warren Mission chapel Monday night to witness a miscellaneous entertainment given under the auspices of Mindah Lodge, No. 1, Rebekah Degree. The Rebekah Odd Ladies, an organization composed entirely of ladies, initiated in the "fine arts" of the stage three months ago. The first part of the programme included readings by Mrs. A. M. Maxwell of Boston, assisted by Mr. S. Chilvers, a recitation by Miss F. Hackard, and a duet by Miss Hackard and Mr. Conover, sung by the Cropped Gir—Club, a comic song by Mr. Kaybinon and a tableau by Miss Anderson. The remainder of the programme was as follows:

Overture.....Mrs. A. M. Maxwell
Reading.....Mrs. Mary A. Armstrong
Recitation.....Miss F. Hackard
Duet.....Miss Hackard and Mr. Conover
Comic song.....Mr. Kaybinon
Tableau.....Miss Anderson
Reading.....Mrs. A. M. Maxwell
Recitation.....Miss F. Hackard
Duet.....Miss Hackard and Mr. Conover
Comic song.....Mr. Kaybinon
Tableau.....Miss Anderson

Pianist—Miss Tennant.

The first and every number of the programme was well rendered, and each of the participants was warmly applauded. The vocal music was furnished by Mr. Kaybinon, assisted on the piano by Miss Tennant, an orchestra, with Mrs. Buckley as an accompanist on the piano.

Particularly pleasing was the recitation given by Mrs. Maxwell of the "Minstrel plaster" and the "Old maids prayer," each of which elicited loud and prolonged applause. Space will not permit us to particularize each number on the programme, suffice it to say that all acquitted themselves creditably.

Mrs. Maxwell read an interesting historical sketch of the origin and growth of the order, which was substantially as follows:

This society owes its existence to Mrs. Prudence M. Irvin now deceased, but formerly a resident of East Boston, Mass. One evening in July 1844 she attended a public installation of Martha's Lodge of Odd Fellows, and was so impressed with the solemnity and the magnitude of the work being accomplished by them for their brother Odd Fellows, that she thought it mean could do so much why could not woman exert herself for the good of her sex. After one year's careful consideration and, as she afterward it, initiating and installing every chair in her parlor an imaginary members of a lodge, and changing them until it became monotonous, she presented the names of five ladies whom she instituted on July 24, 1845, under the title of Amity Lodge, No. 1, of East Boston, Mass., United Order of Independent Odd Ladies—Tribe, because all were firmly banded together and independent, because it was the only secret society composed wholly of ladies. It had no side degree for the men.

It was considered singular for women to come out from the world and assert their rights after 4,000 years ago, so far as to think of establishing an order of this kind and continue to support it, under such discouraging circumstances, but this little band of sisters stood their work faithfully. After awhile they had a public installation and of all the gentlemen in Boston, Mass., there was only one who had the courage to attend the exercises and he was a Doctor and no doubt thought his professional services would be needed in case the ladies should faint. But he was doomed to disappointment.

In the early history of this order a fire destroyed the records, and nearly all the property was destroyed, which retarded the progress of the order. Today there is not one lodge in New Jersey, but the women here are getting their eyes open to their own beauties.

Almost the first question asked is "what will it cost to join?" The initiation fee in the lodge here is two dollars, then there are two degrees that may be conferred after being a member four weeks costing one dollar each. The quarterly dues are one dollar each and at the meeting one year, the order pays sick benefits for six weeks in each year, the amount each week being whatever the lodge may determine upon, and in case of death the amount given is in the same proportion. Should a sister leave orphan children, the lodge pledges itself to protect and educate them. The order has a Government Lodge, which is in the same ratio as the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows. It has also a Supreme Council, called the same as the Sovereign Grand Lodge. It has the grip, four degrees, passwords, countersigns, and everything to perpetuate its independence. Connected with the order is a Relief Fund Assessment which a member under 50 years can join, and be assessed 40 cents at a death, any member over that age pays one dollar at the death of a sister whatever the amount in the treasury, according to the membership paid up to the last levy.

Odd Ladyship is a fraternity and love, that money cannot purchase and which cannot be obtained outside of a social and fraternal organization. It is one of the what Odd Fellowship does to their brothers.

The officers of the U. O. of I. O. L. are:

Mrs. A. M. Maxwell of Boston, Senior Representative; Mrs. L. A. Martin, Junior Representative; Mrs. H. Westphal, Noble Lady; Mrs. W. M. Morse, Vice Lady; Mrs. A. Corwin, Chaplain; Mrs. T. B. Schneider, Rec. Secretary; Mrs. J. C. Drake, Lady Recorder; Mrs. R. E. Buckley, Financial Secretary; Mrs. M. Kurtzhal, Treasurer; Mrs. E. Demarest, Conductor; Mrs. L. Hackard, Senior Warden; Mrs. A. Wilson, Junior Warden; Mrs. M. Brokaw, Guardian; Mrs. Chilvers, Right Supt. Assistant; Mrs. H. Hasbard, Left Hand Assistant.

ANTONIO DE BAUN'S WILL.

The will of the late Antonio DeBaun, who died recently, leaving an estate variously estimated at from forty to seventy thousand dollars, was offered for probate in the Surrogate's office on November 3, and Mr. Walter L. Hetfield of this city was appointed administrator pendente lite. Mr. Hetfield gave bonds for $20,000, almost double the estimated value of the personal property.

The will was dated in February, 1888, and names *Lewis L. Kimball and Gouverneur* Ira W. L. Martine as executors. It provides first for the payment of all burial expenses, and leaves a bequest of $10,000 to the widow, Antonette DeBaun. It further specifies that the house and lot, where the deceased died, shall go to the widow during the natural life of her sister, Marie Magdalen Kloeck, for the purpose of making a home for the latter, provided no claim of any nature is presented by said Marie Magdalen Kloeck, or Christopher Kloeck her husband, against the estate. Also leaves the income of $5,000 to said Marie Magdalen Kloeck during her natural life, with the same proviso that no claim is presented by her or her husband against said estate. Other provisions were made in the will as follows:

Legacy of $1,000 to John Tiger of New York City; $5,000 to his niece, Emily M. Tiger, of New York; $2,000 to a daughter of the late Emma A. A. Schneider; $2,000 to his niece, Ellen M. Snyder of Westfield, N. J.; $1,000 to her husband, Edward Snyder; $2,000 to Mary Ann Ehlers; all the residue and remainder distributed among the children of the deceased's brothers, Pierre, Jeannot and Jacob and $5,000 to his sister, Marianne Ribet. All of the above are in France. The residue of the estate which will foot up in the neighborhood of $60,000, is to be divided equally among the children of the deceased's brothers and sisters, viz: Pierre DeBaud, Jeannot DeBaud, John DeBaud and Marianne Ribert.

—The Board of Education held a meeting on Saturday evening, but deferred the appointment of a janitor for the new building until a future date. A number of applications were received before the Board on Saturday night.

Deaths of Mrs. Chas. P. Brown.

At 12½ house of her father, No. 7 Elmwood place, at one o'clock on Monday, occurred the death of Mrs. Charles P. Brown, wife of Mr. Charles P. Brown of North Plainfield. The deceased was twenty-nine years of age, and has for a long time past been a sufferer from consumption of disease. Her death was peaceful, she having expired surrounded by a kind and loving husband and parents of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, and daughter of Mr. M. D. Dobbins of this city, and was possessed of a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

Rev. St. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church, of which the deceased was a member, conducted the funeral from the house, on Wednesday at 2.15 P. M. Interment in Hillside cemetery. Last Sunday was the second anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Brown's marriage.

List of Advertising Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending Nov. 21, 1888.

Anderson, Mrs J S
Armstrong, Jas
Armstrong, Mary A
Bell, Mrs
Bowden, Edwin J
Brown, Mrs Ellen
Brown, Mrs Mary
Cairns, Mrs Margaret
Cole, Mrs
Cooper, Mrs
Crowell, Mrs Alvina S
Dunham, Mrs Mary
Gavin, Michael M
Gilbert, Mrs
Harrington, John
Harrington, Mrs
Hoffman, Miss Emma
Hoffman, Miss Minnie
Hoffman, Miss Sarah
Kalsch, Mrs
Kelly, Mrs
Kelly, Miss Mary
Kelly, Mrs
Kelly, Miss Mary O
Lewis, Mrs
Lockwood, Mrs
Lockwood, Mrs Jay

Marshall, Mrs
Mc Millan, Mrs Sarah
Murphy, Mrs Maggie
Nash, Mrs
Nelson, Mrs Helen S
O'Reilly, Miss Mary D
Parker, Mrs
Pearsall, Mrs
Pendleton, Mrs
Pendleton, Mrs Barbara
Pendleton, Mrs Mary E
Rowland, Mrs Annie
Rowland, Mrs Ida
Ryan, Miss
Sharp, Mrs Johnson
Smith, Prof Chas E
Smith, Mrs Mary
Williams, Mrs
Williamson, Mrs Hattie S
Wright, Mr Rob't
Wright, Miss Carrie

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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

[Illegible]

—Oh! for a T. M. C. A. building.

—Three hundred to one rabbit is about the average.

—Let the wind during Saturday night, about one mile an hour.

—The members of the Crescent Drum Corps will hold a hop in Dunlop's Hall, New Year's Eve.

—Mr. Mary T. L. B. Worley will transfer his fraternal relations to Association Hall on Thanksgiving Eve.

—The next meeting of the Gossing and Town Council will be on November 28th. North Plainfield will be ready for next January about January 1.

—Our merchants are about preparing for the holiday trade. Christmas trade is the finest thing in America and is looked after by old and young alike.

—At the close of the school session in the North Plainfield public school, the pleasant afternoon, the pupils will render the play-grounds for the month ensuing.

—Comptroller Anderson is still confined to his home at Somerville. His wounded limb is rationally well, and he has recovered from the shock of the fall, but he is still a victim of rheumatism.

—On our fourth page today will be found a striking and instructive illustration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now in the market.

—An agent is said to be traveling about the State buying up all our old-fashioned blue overcoats. He pays from $1 to $2 for a small one, but if stitching it is said to be valuable.

—The owner of a front door key found during the night of the late parade on the corner of Central avenue and South street, can have the same by calling for it at this office.

—The grounds adjoining the Bethel Mission chapel on East Fifth street, have been graded, and a stone flagging has been put down on the Washington street side of the chapel.

—The union services of the churches on Thanksgiving Day, will be held in the Seventh Day Baptist church, at 10:30 A. M. The Rev. J. Ketchum, D. D., will preach the sermon.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church, expressed a large part of wearing apparel to an agency in Jersey City Tuesday which will be distributed among the poor people there.

—Voters should remember that Tuesday next, the fifth instant, is registration day, and that all persons desiring to vote on the matter of registering their names if they are not already on the list.

—The case of Meier against Hoyt Brothers, for damages for accident, as published in THE PRESS a few days ago, has been closed, Vice Chancellor Bird coming to all the damages of the defendant.

—The Y. M. C. A. building, which was now erected, is nothing, which will be completed will be the permanent (?) home of the organization. The estimated cost of the building is $15,000, and when it is completed will be a credit to the city.

—Luther Loder, No. 140, F and A. M. of this city worked the M. M. degree to two of the members, Mr. J. T. Scott and Mr. Harry Stockton, of Bound Brook, on degree was worked by the lodge officers.

—There will be a parlor sale under the auspices of "The Dorcas Society" of Class No. 10 of the M. E. Sunday school, on Friday afternoon and evening, Dec. 14, at No. 10 Craig place, North Plainfield. The dance is a worthy one, and those earnest work are thus engaged will deserve all the encouragement possible.

—A number of musical engagements have recently been entered into by young people in this city, but Tom Paine is not yet authorized to divulge the names. Our readers, however, will be in the dark.

—One of Smith & Rockwell's grocery wagons collided with a bakery wagon by hanging to Front Row on West Front street, last week, and the result was that a lot of pies, bakes, tarts, etc., were "spilled" in the road.

—Justice Nathan Dunham rendered judgment in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Mellon vs. Fisher. The action was brought to dispossess the defendant from the premises at No. 10 West Fourth street, for non-payment of rent.

—A memorial service was taken up in Trinity Reformed church on Sunday morning for the benefit of the Reformed church building fund. The collection was taken up and amounted for a similar purpose in former years.

—There was a slight mistake in the advertisement of posters, distributed throughout the city, stating that the ball will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 4, and not on "Friday, Dec. 4," as first announced on the official posters.

—Services will be held in the Crescent Avenue church on Thanksgiving morning, but the other congregations of the city will unite in a union service at the Seventh Day Baptist church, when the sermon will be by the Rev. P. Ketcham.

—John V. Farwell of Chicago, says: "Results of twenty years experience in Young Men's Christian Associations work have convinced me that the Bible class is as productive of good to the church of Christ upon the money invested."

—The ladies of the City of T. C. fall yard entertainment at the residence of a gay by children under the direction of Prof. Miss. Alberti. At Music Hall, Thursday, Thanksgiving evening, "The Land of Nod" with respected effects and music will be given.

Seven Oak Circle.

The members of the Ezra Sal Circle of this city will hold their first annual meeting in the Congregational church on Friday afternoon and evening, Dec. 7. The work of the circle for the past year will be tabled over, and other business will be brought up for consideration. The Rev. Buckingham is the president of the local circle.

We Can Be Reminded of Plainfield.

It is but justice to the managers of the telegraph auditors of this city and their employees, for The Press to state that to the skill and fidelity of the operators on the day of the election, the early receipt of the returns from the different districts in this county from the editor of the same to Gen. Harrison, morning.

Said letter of acceptance until you receive package from me.

Complimentary.

Two little girls, Edna Lee, F. Wilcox, daughter of Councilman Wilcox, and Miss Nettie Chandler, aged respectively eight and eleven years, did a very kind act on Saturday last. They went around soliciting, and succeeded in raising a fair sum for the purchase of the turkey, to be given away by the Fire Department on Thanksgiving Day. Mr. Ed. Hunt Price, of Mr. Ed. Hunt Price, of Mr. Ed. Hunt Price, of

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Note—The above DIAGRAM illustrates the comparative worth of various Baking Powders, as shown by Chemical Analysis and experiments made by Professor Schedler. A spoonful each of each powder was taken, the total leavening power or volume of each was calculated, the result being as indicated. This practical test for itself. Prof. Schedler only proves what every observant consumer of the Royal Baking Powder knows by practical experience, that, while it costs a few cents more than ordinary kinds, it is far more economical, and healthful, although a trifle more than ordinary kinds, it is far more economical, and healthful, although a trifle more than ordinary kinds, it is far more economical, and healthful, although a trifle

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ME AND SHE.

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"For my own health and strength and ... Bell don't like it a bit.

"Why, what's the matter with Bell?" ...

"Do you think you'll be happy with her, Andy?" ...

"Yes," said Mrs. Dunlap, authoritatively. "How do we know what she is? The world is full of hypocrites."

"I can tell you why he is," said a well-known naval voice, all Mr. Pays buried in Peter the pilot-cutter, whose head and hand directing the backbone to wait. "He's four relatives all first-rate enough—he's Joseph Horn Dunlap's sons, and they're all over the hill country in India, where he was supposed to be dead long ago. His name isn't dead; only goes into the Horn Dunlap line. An awful good thing as a story coming across with his father and mother could. Joseph Horn Dunlap was very peculiar; had a temper like a Bengal tiger, and he thought that the proofs of identification are beyond question; he's Horn Dunlap's son, and that's all."

"Eh!" gasped Mrs. Dunlap. "Have we got to divide the fortune with him?"

"No, indeed," the Navy replied, dryly; "every cent of it belongs to him. It never was yours at all."

Mr. Dunlap chuckled.

"The old woman takes it rather hard, don't she?" said he. "But law is law, and justice is justice."

He lit a cigar. Dunlap fortune meted away out of the hands of Deborah Dunlap and Jane, her daughter.

The officious relations vanished as if by magic, the situation was changed—Deborah stood, but Adam Dunlap was true as his own name.

"Mother," said he, gently, to the broken-hearted little widow, "there's a room all ready for you and Jane. Jane and I were married this morning. We want you to come and live with us. You'll be welcome as one of us."

"But, Adam, I've behaved awful bad to you and Jane," said Mrs. Dunlap.

"That's nothing," said Adam, cheerfully. "If we all lapses to mistakes at times."

"And now that I ain't rich any more—" ...

"But you are rich," said Adam. "You have health and strength and skill. And I'll guarantee you plenty of clothes to wear and food to eat. If you have a little money what more could you have that time?"

And Mrs. Dunlap was forced to admit that her son-in-law was not far from right.—*Roberta Duke.*

AFTER AN ILLNESS.

A Graphic Description of the Pleasure of Getting Well.

It is, according to a writer in *Harper's Bazar*, a pardalax, as it were, a delectable state between sickness and health, where there is no pain, no fever, no nervousness, neither temptation nor struggle, where, in a word, one is neither sick nor well, and has nothing to do but to get well. He exclaimeth his arms and legs and moves his toes, taking pleasure in the delicious endowment as he did some thirty, forty or fifty years ago when he was a boy. He counteth the fingers of his left hand with those of his right, and is satisfied in his daily visit to every one in a sentence on the way, a sacrament to Hygeia, a joyful covenanted. His smile is expensive into the face of his physician as an ever-increasing humanitarianism. He hath a tear for his nurse, and presseth with a hand of friendship to his brother man. Intoxicated with fresh draughts of health, he drinks like the thirsty camel of one who would "treat the town." He laughs easily and enjoys the rarest of wit. He is anxious to take a ride with the ragman in his wheezy old cart, and would like to have a long chat with the organ-grinder, tolerates the cracked voice of a fishy on a neighboring corner, appreciates even the distant efforts of a beginner to conquer the audience of living. Trees and clouds and sky and "God's" pall on his taste. He is "ready to see the Queen and go to court," and is seriously in part if they do not rush to his door in a body and besiege it day and night. The bells are hushed. The carriages are rolled up as high as they will go. In pours the news of the battle fights, and, mingled the blare of trumpets, the prisoner's ransom. Business and finance come together. The bell summons laggard to his post. The bell summons laggard to his post. The bell summons laggard to his post

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Democratic Principles.

The Democratic organization of New Jersey will fill the following offices during the next session of the legislature:

The joint ballot of the legislature will elect one lay judge of the court of errors and appeals, one election commissioner, one member of the state board of assessors, one member of the board of state charities and correction, and lay judges in the counties of Bergen, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Somerset, Sussex, Union and Warren. Prosecutors of the pleas will be appointed in Camden, Gloucester and Salem counties.

The joint meeting also appointments as follows:

Trustees of the state normal school, Montclair; trustees asylum, Jamesburg; reform school, state industrial school for girls, commissioners of pilotage, state district railroad and canals, and assessor of corporation of deeds.

Last year's Republican legislature removed the power of appointing a large number of these officers from the governor and placed it in the joint meeting. The Democratic assembly opposed the change, and now that they have gained control of the legislature they will restore the power to the Governor.

Sincere Appreciation Expressed.

I desire to express my sincere thanks through the columns of THE DAILY PRESS, to the faithful members of the Fire Department and all other friends for their compassionate sympathy with me in my great affliction and for their kind attentions rendered during the illness and the funeral services of my beloved wife.

JACOB KELLER.

Concert From Eighteenth to Nineteenth Century Composers.

Among the offers sent the Rev. Mr. Richardson, was one from Archdeacon Redman tendering in behalf of himself and the vestry, the use of Grace church for the occasion of the Crescent Avenue congregation may choose to hold.

This offer was accepted in the evening during the Wednesday evening prayer meeting of the Crescent Avenue congregation in Grace church. In future all such meetings will probably be held in Bethel chapel.

Funeral of Mrs. George W. Hutchison.

The funeral of the late Mrs. George W. Hutchison took place from the Methodist church on Peachtree street, on Sunday, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Hoss, assisted by Rev. Dr. Duncan, Rev. Dr. Lovejoy and Rev. Dr. Felton. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Joseph Thompson, Dr. Westmoreland, Dr. Hoyt, Dr. Hunnicutt, Dr. Hall

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—The mail carriers are all on the road, and the snow is deep. The road-beds are now laying in their winter supply.

—The new attraction at Music Hall, will be Lotta in "Little Nell," a play which was made such a hit in "The Deacon's Daughter," here last season.

—Many folks at Newark, this State, and the world over, will be pleased to learn that the play production we will have mentioned next week.

—The Union Long Branch express train on the Central Railroad of New Jersey, which left at eight yesterday was robbed of Harry Atkinson, at Rahway, Saturday afternoon.

—The Presbyterian society of Plainfield, in a financial meeting of the Rev. Sunday, on the "opportunities" of the coming meeting from the point of the church at the Crest-stone.

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—Wm. Nordman, a member of Granite Engine Company, was thrown headwards from a wagon while on the way to the fire, Friday morning, and badly injured about the head and face. His head struck one of the hind wheels of the vehicle, inflicting a severe flesh wound on the nose.

—When Granite Engine arrived at the corner of the Crescent Avenue church, Friday morning, the trucks on the front of the engine were missing. The driver was compelled to go back to the house for them, and the engine stopped to run away, but they were reached by some bystanders before doing any damage.

—Two boys, Jimmy Donovan of Somerville and Jimmy Donovan of Somerville, were arrested by Chief Carey Friday afternoon for tampering with the switches at the Somerville Road depot. The charges against the boys were changed from that of a severe reprimand. The justice saw no use in threatened to put a stop to the dangerous practice.

—A brick-building is now going rapidly up on Plainfield. One-third of the brick in the country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law; one-half think they can beat the doctor in curing the sick; two-thirds of them think they can beat the ministers in preaching the gospel, and all can beat the editor in running a newspaper.

—The funeral of Mrs. Harry Hinkle who is going for a divorce from her husband, the proprietor of the Dudley House, at South Plainfield, took place on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Tuttle, of the Presbyterian church, ordered the deceased to pay his wife three dollars a week from the beginning of the suit and to pay the lawyer's fee of $100 in addition to the plaintiff's lawyer, Chas. A. Marsh, Esq.

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Notes and Statement Wanted.

—Two young men from this city, whose names are withheld for the present, went to their family physician one night recently on a visit. A few evenings through one of the principal streets in that city they espied a horse and buggy standing in front of a store and hastily concluded to "borrow" the same without asking about the ruling about the city. The owner of the buggy subsequently recovered it, but the two young men were not so fortunate in their search, and, as a result, were arraigned before Justice Nash, and bound in the sum of $500 each to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Postmasters.

—Rev. Edgar E. W. Burgess is confined to his home on Park avenue, by illness.

—Mr. R. T. Barnes has sent his resignation as a member of the choir of Grace church.

—Mr. F. F. Martin of North Plainfield, returned on Thursday from a prospecting trip to the far West.

—Mr. T. T. Spicer, wife and son of Brooklyn, are spending a few days with Mr. Ryder's family, on Cleveland Stephen C. of Cedar avenue.

—Miss Maude Cameron of this city, is undergoing a course of instruction in St. Elizabeth Academy, at Madison, N. J., which institution she entered last week.

—Mr. John E. Bonnell, Postmaster of the City Hotel, accompanied by his wife and child, started Friday last for a two weeks' visit with Mr. Boerhower's parents in Pleasant Gap, Pa.

—Mr. Herman Dann of New Market, was presented by his wife, on Tuesday last week, with ten pound boy. Herman is happy; he says, and lives in Jersey. Mother and son are doing well.

—A surprise party was tendered to Mrs. L. Minor at her residence on Park avenue, on Wed. Nov. 20, by a number of friends, the occasion being the fifty-first anniversary of the residence of Mrs. Bobley on Plainfield avenue, and went to the house in a body. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

—Mr. George Vincent, son of Bishop John Vincent, was present at the reception tendered to the Rev. and Mrs. Chas. E. Mitchell, by the Methodist church of Plainfield. He was also in Plainfield Monday and made a visit to his former office in the Reading rooms of the C. L. C.

—Mr. L. J. Bonnell, son of this city, who has been typhoid pneumonia for some days past, has slightly improved in condition so that he was permitted by his attending physician to return to the home of his son in Newark, where it is hoped he is now slowly recovering.

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—Wm. Nordman, a member of Granite Engine Company, was thrown headwards from a wagon while on the way to the fire, Friday morning, and badly injured about the head and face. His head struck one of the hind wheels of the vehicle, inflicting a severe flesh wound on the nose.

—When Granite Engine arrived at the corner of the Crescent Avenue church, Friday morning, the trucks on the front of the engine were missing. The driver was compelled to go back to the house for them, and the engine stopped to run away, but they were reached by some bystanders before doing any damage.

—Two boys, Jimmy Donovan of Somerville and Jimmy Donovan of Somerville, were arrested by Chief Carey Friday afternoon for tampering with the switches at the Somerville Road depot. The charges against the boys were changed from that of a severe reprimand. The justice saw no use in threatened to put a stop to the dangerous practice.

—A brick-building is now going rapidly up on Plainfield. One-third of the brick in the country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law; one-half think they can beat the doctor in curing the sick; two-thirds of them think they can beat the ministers in preaching the gospel, and all can beat the editor in running a newspaper.

—The funeral of Mrs. Harry Hinkle who is going for a divorce from her husband, the proprietor of the Dudley House, at South Plainfield, took place on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Tuttle, of the Presbyterian church, ordered the deceased to pay his wife three dollars a week from the beginning of the suit and to pay the lawyer's fee of $100 in addition to the plaintiff's lawyer, Chas. A. Marsh, Esq.

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Notes and Statement Wanted.

—Two young men from this city, whose names are withheld for the present, went to their family physician one night recently on a visit. A few evenings through one of the principal streets in that city they espied a horse and buggy standing in front of a store and hastily concluded to "borrow" the same without asking about the ruling about the city. The owner of the buggy subsequently recovered it, but the two young men were not so fortunate in their search, and, as a result, were arraigned before Justice Nash, and bound in the sum of $500 each to await the action of the Grand Jury.

SIX THOUSAND DAMAGES AND SIXTY THOUSAND INSURANCE.

The Crescent Avenue Church Sunday School and Parlors, Totally Destroyed by Flames Which Originated in the Pastor's Study and Spread to the Church.

From THE PRESS of Nov. 25:

At about 10 o'clock this morning, Officer Plandigan, who is stationed at the depot, observed smoke issuing from the roof of the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church, and notified the District Messenger office. Several other persons in the vicinity of the church, who likewise saw the smoke issuing from there, hastened to town and gave the alarm. Hundreds of spectators flocked to the spot, and when the firemen arrived on the ground it was evident that they had a hard fight before them. Dense volumes of smoke poured out of the doors and windows in the rear of the church, and for a time it seemed as though the fire could not be extinguished.

Chief Doane and his assistants arrived soon after and at once went to work manfully, and the firemen in the discharge of their duties. No. 1 Hook and Ladder Company had the best position from the well in front of the church, while No. 2 Engine was located at the corner of Crescent Avenue and First place. Both of these engines did excellent service. The Truck company also aided materially in saving the building and the Sunday school room above. The firemen worked heroically and many of them were drenched to the skin, but they never forget their duty, and worked in the cold until the last spark was extinguished. The smoke was so stifling that but a half hour elapsed before the firemen could enter the building.

Most of the furniture in the lecture room and Sunday school department was removed, and the piano was carried out and deposited in an adjoining door yard. One of the members of the church at the time was Rev. Mr. Richards, the pastor, who assisted in removing the piano and also helped to carry out the books from the library.

The flames at one time threatened to set through into the main auditorium, and the cushions and pulpit furniture were carried from there to a yard on the opposite side of the way.

The entire section of the church where the fire originated was gutted and damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars, and the walls in the church proper are also considerably damaged principally by water, a part of which is fully covered by insurance.

Several of the firemen and other active workers at the fire were slightly injured during the progress of the same. Among them was Mr. M. Higgins had his hand badly cut. After two hours hard work the firemen succeeded in getting the fire under control, and at about 2 o'clock the flames were officially declared out.

The Rev. Mr. Richards, pastor of the church, was absent at the fire on the scene and one of the hardest workers. He assisted in carrying out the piano from the parlor, and locked himself down with a pocketful of new benches and cushions.

It is said that in the excitement of the occasion the sacred vases of the church were carefully given shelter in an adjoining house, while the piano itself was left neglected on the lawn where the sunbeams played on it.

At eleven o'clock while the fire was at its height and depth, a communication was received from the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, in the absence of the pastors and consistory of the Trinity Reformed church tendering to the Rev. Mr. Richards and his congregation the use of that church for their services during the reconstruction of the Crescent Avenue edifice.

It is not known yet whether the Sunday school will be held in the morning, but it is earnestly hoped so by those interested. It has been in its dotage for some time and its decease would not be regretted except the removal of insurance on the church and its contents is just ten thousand times the value of the melodeon.

The ladies of the church held their meeting on Friday afternoon for some weeks past, to sew and gather together donations of clothes, &c., for the missionaries and their families in Africa. Newbold's sewing machine had been in use in the church parlors, and it stood there amid the ruins at noon today. But the many barrels of clothing contributed by the ladies had already been got out before fire or water reached them, and were sent to the freight office at once.

Some of the Sunday School officers worked late in the Library room, last night, and succeeded in finishing their new catalogue and the arranging and numbering of all the old books and about 200 new ones that the scholars had never read yet. Probably all these volumes are destroyed.

The church had spent more money this Fall in new carpets in the Sunday School building and many other costly comforts and new conveniences, than ever before. The work of refurbishing and renovating was just completed. Now it must be all done over again and everything can be replaced. The granite walls still stand and are believed to be as solid as ever, so it is not probable that they will be removed to allow for the erection of the more extended accommodations the Sunday School has needed for years. It is estimated that the removal of these walls and the erection of new, would cost alone about $10,000.

Faithful Henry Kline, who has been the caref ul sexton of the church for the past seven years, was at the fire, as usual, to assure himself of carelessness because of the fire. It was a new furnace that had just been put in and he was not the only wide open fire that he should. But it is expected of a furnace in a big building, that its grafts can be kept wide open when necessary, and the fire forced to smoke any extent. It was not Henry's fault at all if the fire was caused by too much heat in the flues.

The section was in the church at the time the fire made its presence known, and he rang the new bell in the tower with an emphasis and promptness that must have surprised it so much as it alarmed every one within its sound. Men, women and children turned out and while a few stood looking on, and others criticised the workings of the gallant firemen, a few hundred more pitched in and helped or got in one another's way.

The insurance to the church itself is confined to the wall behind the pulpit and the ceiling about half way towards the choir gallery. It will all have to come down and the whole plaster work and hangs refrescoed.

For a Worthy Cause.

A bazaar and fair, in aid of the Church of Our Saviour, Nellenwood, will be held in the building on the corner of Second Fulman street and Kensington avenue, on Friday of this week, afternoon and evening. An entire table section goods will be offered for sale at reasonable prices, and as individual French confectionery will be given to each purchaser of a ticket for the fair.

The bazaar was arranged by one of the young lady members of the church, and deserves, but will not, be patronized, as the cause is a most worthy one.

—A total eclipse of the sun is due on New Year's Day, visible all over America. In this section it will set while eclipsed.

PHOTOGRAPHS, PORTRAITS AND PICTURES OF HOME.

Admirably Chosen Views Engraved and Printed, Totally Destroyed by Flames Which Originated in the Pastor's Study and Spread to the Church.

The first exhibition of the American Camera Club has been a success, and the attendance continues so large, the members have decided to keep it open during all the evenings of next week, and during all the evenings of the week, the first day of Thursday, the 28th. The great merit of the collection in every way has been heard of everywhere, and telegrams of inquiry and compliments from the Camera Club, Cincinnati and other places, have visited, admired and learned something from the Plainfield exhibition.

In regarding the artistic displays of the eighteen exhibitors represented, comparisons should not be made to the discredit of those showing the fewer pictures, for the less highly artistic. For instance, probably the gill-edged display of the collection is that of Mr. G. Hiry Squires. It cannot be excelled in many ways. There is evidenced a perfection of exposure and sharpness of detail; the corners of the views are all artistically rubbed out; the mountings of the pictures are well burnished, and the descriptive quotations very pretty. Yet the finishing of it all is done by professionals, and Mr. Squires is artiste in quality and the points of view, so admirably chosen, he deserves at the best, only as much praise as the skilful artist. Mr. Charles H. Davis has the largest exhibit—over 70 photographs—the more varied and the most admired. The views of the work in rubble stone effects by himself. Enlarged bromide prints of Miss Jessie Eustace and baby Ray, from negatives by Mr. Davis, are the finest negatives in the collection. They are artistic in pose, is "A Bird (or rather a blossom) in the Apple Tree," made famous by its reproduction in the Photographic Photography, the owner of the craft. Among pictures of distinctive interest are views of the interior of Mr. Davis' studio, and of his observatory with its telescope. Clark equatorial telescope.

Mr. David Thaxton's portrait taken on a porch, is remarkable for its soft, delicate light and shade, and the microscopic detail in the newspaper the lady is reading.

Mr. Oscar Teale shows a number of extremely good interiors of Mr. Edward H. Babcock's residence, included in a varied display. An interesting exhibit is a frame of portraits taken by the old calotoned "wet process," by Mr. Teale in 1860.

Master Willie Westervelt's work, as Tom Pinch sat contemplating, is the best in the collection in the Club and all his own, yet it is among the best. His dog is unexcelled by any picture in the room.

Mr. Hoyt shows photographs on ivory, silver prints—including "a sweet face at the window"—but he has done some bromide pictures that are most exquisite in quality, including steel engravings which prove him to be a master of this difficult process of printing.

Mr. A. W. Day's display, especially a library's easy corner, are fine, and his child on a horse is particularly so. One of the "curios" pictures of this exhibition is his of a prima and sailing girl holding a laughing babe in front of her.

Mr. A. W. Gerrett's imitation of the front of an addressed, stamped and postmarked envelope, is unique, and the baby face breaking through it is that same charming "Teddy" whose pose and expression in "Tick Tick" and "Tick Tick, Tick" have already praised. This artist catches the expression and action of the little ones in a remarkable manner. The picture of two children in the same exhibit, is by Mrs. Garrett, and it shows what admirable work a lady amateur may accomplish.

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The Proprietors and Editor of THE PRESS Treated With Arrest for Libel.

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Sent by A. Harrison, Indianapolis, Ind. And taken down by operator at Plainfield, N. J.

T. T. Newman:

It is the custom of the telegraph companies all over the World to preserve the closed telegraphic messages addressed to them, and for the protection of the offices in this city, we subjoined stated what is strictly the truth, that the office has not the information above from either of them or any of their employees. It came from an office outside of Plainfield. In addition, we published on Thursday a card from Manager Schermerhorn stating the message was not sent from his office.

But although so much has been done in the way of denying responsibility for the information that led to the publication of the message in THE PRESS, we believe that no one was to blame for it. There is no harm of letting the people know of any kind advice that flashed over the wires from the "centre of the world" as it is better of the Republican nominee!

We think it was just four days after the telegram was sent—and probably just two days after the "package" reached Plainfield—that the letter of acceptance was issued. It was published in full in THE PRESS of September 13, and was a well constructed and properly conservative letter—and it never eventually escaped the consensus. May we not as locally patriotic citizens, believe with pride that that "package" was not consigned that preserved Gen. Harrison from a plunge into the tureen?

Yet we are threatened with arrest for forgery in this connection. Chief of Police Carey called at the office of THE PRESS, Thursday morning, and informed us that a man by the name of Morrison, editor of the Plainfield evening news, would demand before that night the arrest of both the proprietors and also the editor of THE PRESS, for the publication of the dispatch. Chief Carey stated we had got ourselves "in a box," and that a sentence of thousands of dollars and months of imprisonment would be meted out to the face. He said he had put off the arrests, but we had "better do something in the matter, for that it was all we knew," and what, but he was perfectly sure we had better do "something." He returned again in the afternoon and stated the matter would not take place until the next day.

All day Friday we waited for the warrants to be served. We outwardly appeared as though we would be, but inwardly just "saluted" to be arrested. That penalty of many dollars and days imagined in the libel suit, we felt sure would be the kind of warrants in his hand. We regret we are compelled to write that we have not even been arrested yet—and that sentence must be getting weary of waiting.

Maybe the President-elect has wired:

Hold your warrants of arrest over our heads for libel. Don't serve them. Wait for me.

What fools some mortals be!

A Young Artist Highly Honored.

Private letters from Europe state that after a most thorough trial lasting during a period of five weeks, Miss Louise Pelsinger has been accepted as a member of the Berlin Academy—the only one out of a class of candidates numbering thirty-three.

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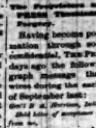

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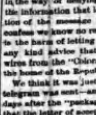

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How She Appeared to a New York Tony Woman.

Special Correspondence of the Journal.

Elizabeth Cameron Sherman Cameron Lamont Cleveland Amelie Rives Cleveland. A string of names that would make a Spanish grandee envious, and yet all borne by one woman. Of course I refer to the wife of the President of the United States, the mistress of the White House, the author of "The Quick or the Dead."

The world, we learn, does not believe that the latter is true as far as relates to the author's own life, and all of us who have met Mrs. Cleveland No. 2 are willing to believe that nothing but pure blood flows in her veins. Still, there are many who do not believe that she is the author of her own books, and I am one of them. I have met Miss Rives, and I have met Mrs. Cleveland, and I have met the two together, and I am sure that the author of "The Quick or the Dead" is not the wife of the President of the United States.

A number were invited to meet Mrs. Cleveland at a dinner given by Mrs. Frederick Gebhard, and I was one of the number. I had been presented to Mrs. Cleveland at the White House, and had met her at a number of receptions, but I had never met Miss Rives. I had read her books, and had read the press notices of her marriage, and I had come to the conclusion that she was a very clever young woman, and that she had written a very clever book, but that was all. I had no curiosity to see her, and I had no desire to meet her. I had been told that she was very beautiful, and that she was very eccentric, and I had been told that she was very much in love with her husband, and that she was very much afraid of the world. I had been told that she was very much afraid of the world, and that she was very much afraid of me, and that she was very much afraid of the pages of Worth's Directory.

RELIGION AND LOVE.

Miss Fraser's Sweetheart Can Change a Jew.

Boston to Mix Old Faiths.

The story from Paris that Miss Fraser had fallen in love with a Jew, and that he was about to do something extraordinary to get out of the clutches of Mr. Fraser, who is a Presbyterian, and who is very much opposed to Jews, has created a great deal of interest in Boston, where Mr. Fraser is well known. He is a wealthy banker of Perugia, Italy, but keeps the winter months in Boston, where he has a handsome residence on Beacon street, opposite the Public Garden. He is a widower, and has but one child, Miss Fraser, who is a beautiful young woman of twenty-two years of age. She has been educated in Europe, and has been in Boston but a few months. She is a Presbyterian, and is very much devoted to her father. She has been in society but little since her arrival in this country, and has made but few acquaintances. She has been engaged to a young Jew, who is a student in the University of Heidelberg, Germany, and who is the son of a wealthy banker of Frankfort-on-the-Main. The young man's name is Ernest Lehmann, and he is a handsome young fellow, and is very much in love with Miss Fraser. He has been in this country several times, and has been entertained by Miss Fraser's friends in Boston. He is a Jew, and his father is very much opposed to his marrying a Christian girl

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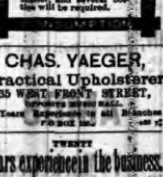

DR. JOHN E. STEVENS, formerly of this city, has removed to and has taken the house No. 1 Park Place, Newark, N. J., where he will be pleased to see his friends and patients. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Telephone connection.

'TIS BETTER TO FORGET.

You sent the homeward dove and rose
When friendship ruled its every hour,
And as the leaves of autumn fall
There came no token.

Oh, remembered forms of beauty and faith,
That fashioned a heaven for me,
The mystical voices seemed your graves,
And the dust of your bodies, too!

So now the desire of God we live,
So now the earth, and who would give
A sigh or a tear for a grave?
Or one rose-tree?

So now the earth waved graves be wet,
So now and then a mourner's sigh,
'Tis better to forget such woes,
And sing and dance.

Trees on and rest, whate'er betide,
Let Memory's lamps be low enough
That the heart may not see
Forgot them all.

Trees on and rest, whate'er betide,
Let Memory's lamps be low enough
That the heart may not see
Forgot them all.

Three into the trees, and sleepwards
The winter chicken, and for the sea
The ships that sail, and for the sun
Diamond and free.

So happy are those birds, they trust;
Though leaves wrong time, yet be just,
So must they who love God to life,
Or near the one.

Live on—they so do of life must fade,
Love on—they so do of love must die,
Trust on—they so do of all withholden hand
Of God on high.

So shall thy heart bow so regret,
So love thy regrets will forget,
And thou shalt be as the birds
Of the air and trees.

—Joaquin Miller, in Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

A CHAT WITH EDISON.

The Many Electric Wonders of the Wizard's Workshop.

Practical Methods Pioneered by the Great Inventor—Unusual Experiments in the Application of Electricity to Sub-terway Transportation.

If you count Edison this morning he has found time between breakfast and dinner to-morrow he has added a new discovery to the realm of scientific invention. It is hard to keep up with him. Probably no investigator in the field of science has ever been so constantly in the public eye, and yet so persistently presenting his researches. This has not always been the case. For years the world has discovered among other things the wizard of Menlo Park.

His laboratory is about a mile from the station at Orange, N. J. His charming home is also within sight of the beautiful rural isolation of Llewellyn Park. Within the walls of the modest working plant is situated stands a large three-storied brick building. This is the laboratory, a perfect hive of activity and experimenting.

When one enters the laboratory he is confronted by a tall Parisienne which informs the intending visitor that Mr. Edison is so occupied with his work and the stream of visitors is so great that it is impossible to see him himself accidentally. Happily, an appointment had been secured by the power of its business-like inhospitality. He was engaged at the moment, but as the visit was to be could not easily interrupt, and begged for a quarter of an hour's delay.

This was a most fortunate delay, as it gave the opportunity to look around the building and observe in a general way the many interesting objects on exhibition. There are busts of Edison, natural and in bronze, in the business office of the laboratory, though, of course, his likeness are not difficult to find in other parts of the building. The walls are covered with all kinds of electric lights. There are busts of Edison, natural and in bronze, in the building, and there is a seeming excess of lights. Incandescent lights, especially in all

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POLITICAL CORRECTIONS.

It is a notorious fact that never was corruption spent in the recent Presidential election than ever before during any similar contest. Both parties, and to a very large extent, criminal action on the part of unprincipled politicians, not only casts dark illumed upon free government, but, unless speedily and effectually stopped by an aroused public sentiment, will eventuate in the destruction of public virtue, and the consequent overthrow of the liberties of the people.

It is a condition of public degeneracy which ought to invoke the deepest thought of every true-hearted citizen, to be a Republican or a Democrat.

Bloater bribery and corruption, the buying, selling and bartering of votes, is positive treason to the principles of the American Constitution, and has developed into evil of such gigantic proportions that no national peril now equals it.

If not wiped out of existence, will surely overthrow into ruin the patriotic work of the founders of the republic.

If money is to decide the election of Presidents, Senators and Congressmen, what protection will there be for the rights and privileges of honest citizens?

If sordid wealth is to rule the country with naked political hand, regardless of justice, truths and character, how can poor men escape the domination of purse-proud?

If the present infamous system of purchasing corruption is to continue, would it not be more decently considered to decree the total abolishment of suffrage, and rule by all public offices to be knocked down to the highest bidder?

Almost those virtually is the case, and the utter freedom of American citizen full rapidly.

So will it be in the United States, notwithstanding the boasted enlightenment of the present century, if the people, as per usual, do not awake to danger, destroy the August shield of partisan politics, and adopt and strictly exercise measures that will keenly guard on the dignity of the franchise and the purity of the ballot box.

To do that all in fair in politics is to unite the plan of a high way robber.

Stealing can be fair that is indictment.

The only sound and safe political doctrine is this—

Let every legally qualified voter deposit a ballot of his own free will and choice, and honestly, directly or indirectly, by money or other corrupt means, no one shall control the vote of intimidate of any other or third.

That is loyalty to the Constitution and a safeguard for the people. He who violates it, either as principal or agent, is a public enemy and merits condign punishment.

NEAR THE JUDGES.

Regarding the corrupt use of money in elections, United States Judge Gresham, of Illinois, is reported as saying:

It is the Platform who are setting this in the men of prominence and respectability who stand ready to buy votes openly. Knowing the use they will be put to, they do not openly buy a purchase one day and go to church the next.

It is these men who help to degrade upon the State. You may call me a hard—yes, even a thousand hard—but I say it is the effect upon a community would be nothing compared to that which would follow the perversion of one prominent man.

That is a well-considered thought.

There are Platforms in the world now as of olden times. High-professing gentlemen, with platonic priest-books, who lend in political corruption one day and go to church the next.

Those are the chaps that the Judge would have converted.

And properly.

Because the rich author of "Pudd'nhead Wilson" is a hundred-fold more guilty than his poor victim.

Judge Daniels, of the Supreme Court of New York, also speaks with no uncertain sound.

Read him as follows:

"It is a lamentable fact that elections are habitually controlled in many localities by the use of money and property in giving their votes. This is not only subversive of the purity of elections, but is a gross crime. Such corrupt information can be bribed upon, and it probably can on this subject. Such bribery is not confined by any means to the political purposes, in other respects correct in their habits and deportment, vote as they are informed and required by the managers of the party. It is not to be more correctly described as a method of appointing magistrates, having a direct tendency to destroy the very principles on which the personal and free government is to be maintained. If they are to be continued in the future, they must be suppressed, and that by the strong arm of the law, or the very existence of the purity and political integrity of the voters there will be lost."

If that is to be corrected by the use of money in the elections, then inferentially, and at no very distant period, the Platform will buy the permanent and irrevocable grant. Men of wealth will control the affairs of nations, and still possessing intelligence, experience, ability and unswerving integrity, what is there to prevent from being the case? Such a condition of affairs is positively intolerable as though decreed to be so by the Constitution, both in fact and sentiment. That old instrument is as much an error to an autocracy as surely as it would be of in legal theory if it had been placed on that foundation."

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Franklin, Indiana, on 20th ult., a circular conspiracy was made, while the body of a woman was being removed from the grave of the woman by the Platform. The body was that of Mrs. Elizabeth Frisen, who was buried twenty-six years ago in a metallic coffin. On opening the coffin the darkness found the body to be in a perfect state of preservation. The hair and the features were as natural as when the woman was alive. The body was buried in her wedding clothes. The additional burying and the clothing had the appearance of being prepared yesterday.

The Rev. Dr. Talmage has accepted the call of the Brooklyn Avenue church.

The Rev. Dr. Burgess, of the Central Presbyterian church of Atlanta, has received a call to the Central Presbyterian church of Savannah, and it was an open secret that the body was intended for a possible call to Mr. Wm. L. Peters, the well-known and very popular young Atlanta lawyer, who has moved from a small settlement in Newark.

The trial of Frederick Baldwin for the murder of Mrs. Mary Manning, at Wilmington, will begin on the 7th of January, before Judge Van Syckle.

THE CITY'S VOTE.

NATION.	1st WARD	2d WARD	3d WARD	4th WARD	Total	Maj.
Job Male, R.	200	200	162	210	850	1
Joseph Cutter, D.	147	99	99	186	531	
CITY JUDGE.						
George P. Jackson, R.	219	209	180	293	900	240
Walter S. Penfield, D.	106	94	69	271	660	
ASSESSOR.						
Joseph A. Hubbard, R.	240	205	197	253	894	279
Louis F. Wadsworth, D.	160	94	58	252	555	
COLLECTOR.						
John Jordan, R.	276	241	132	206	979	464
William H. Wetzel, D.	136	76	61	220	514	
TREASURER.						
Alexander Tilsworth, R.	240	225	138	254	856	406
Aaron W. Reed, D.	151	99	59	240	544	
SCHOOL TRUSTEES.						
Jesse L. Hurlbut, R.	247	231	160	242	880	286
Erskine M. Redman, D.	164	99	68	270	601	
SUPERVISORS OF APPEAL.						
Monroe Vermeule, R.	240	225	132	245	916	348
Rudolphus MacDonald, R.	240	220	131	246	915	
Jeremiah Manning, D.	163	99	64	267	596	
Jasper G. Cadmus, D.	163	99	64	265	589	
Republican Tickets	301	229	194	253	929	345
Democratic Tickets	163	99	63	265	584	
Total Vote, 1888	455	328	257	517	1551	
" 1887	294	230	247	472	1443	
" 1886	309	230	242	394	1375	
" 1885	303	209	261	444	1393	
" 1884	363	210	220	475	1441	
" 1883	301	225	220	429	1173	
" 1882	296	215	262	471	1284	
" 1881	301	249	243	404	1197	

FIRST WARD.		Maj.
COUNCILMAN.		
Otis L. Jenkins, R.	207	4
Tell A. Bogardus, D.	203	
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.		
Lewis Peterson, R.	242	77
Louis F. Wadsworth, D.	165	
CONSTABLE.		
Robert Randolph, R.	247	87
George Zeist, D.	160	
SECOND WARD.		
COUNCILMAN.		Maj.
Henry B. Nowell, R.	221	125
Ephraim J. Miller, D.	96	
H. T. Brown, R.	221	2
Jared S. Myers (one year) R.	207	102
Joseph G. Miller, "	105	
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.		
Cadwallader Jones, R.	220	126
C. S. A. Davis, D.	90	
CONSTABLE.		
William R. Mathias, R.	221	144
William Callahan, D.	87	

THIRD WARD.		Maj.
COUNCILMAN.		
A. Marvin Dunham, R.	180	125
Lathrop Manning, D.	64	
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.		
Martin M. Town, R.	188	124
William Mann, D.	64	
CONSTABLE.		
Amos Moffett, R.	191	122
George Zeist, D.	69	
Robert Randolph, R.	1	
FOURTH WARD.		
COUNCILMAN.		Maj.
Arthur T. Gallup, D.	305	98
Edward B. Clark, R.	204	
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.		
Jeremiah M. Compton, D.	290	
George J. Gildea, R.	249	
Elmore D. Moffett, D.	29	
CONSTABLE.		
George R. Rockafellow, D.	300	
Andrew Muir, R.	229	
Amos Andrews, R.	12	

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR THE REPUBLICANS.

The election which took place in this city Tuesday, was the most quiet of any that has taken place in a long time. The matter of electing a non-Democrat all was freely discussed before election, and both parties had their "white" accordingly. The result of the election as given below, shows the political complexion of the city to be Republican by 345 majority. The Democrats polled their full vote in the first and third Democratic wards, and the assistance of the ministers is in favor of a "high protective tariff."

In the First Ward, Councilman-elect Jenkins, Republican, carried the ward by four majority; in the Second Ward, Messrs. Nowell and Myers had a majority apiece; while in the Third Ward Councilman Dunham was re-elected by 125 majority. In the Fourth Ward, Mr. Arthur T. Gallup, Democrat, was elected over Mr. E. B. Clark, the present incumbent.

Mayor Male was re-elected by a substantial majority, as were also the other Republican city officers. The election of the ward officers, together with the individual majorities is given elsewhere.

VERY BUSHY.

The hunger of the Republicans after office under the Incoming Administration is truly pathetic.

Nothing like it was ever known.

A Republican member of Congress, under date of Washington, D. C., Nov. 27, thus appeals for aid to the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette:

"Cannot you relieve me, and I suppose all the rest of us, from the fearful curse, from the insane idea that seems to have seized upon everybody, that now is the accepted time to apply for office? My God! is there no limit to the folly of the people in their unbridled wish for office? I feel almost every possible position, and what to do with them is a wonder.

I try to answer and acknowledge the receipt of letters, but the impression that Gen. Harrison's term will not commence until the 4th of March next, and that he is now a good deal worried as to how he is to get on upon words agents and consultships, and that, on the whole, they had better hold up until next Spring, but the impression seems to be general that no one is loaded with papers that I cannot refer and do not know what to do with. Please say to the good public that they will be notified when the time arrives for the assignment. If they will hold back their applications until after Gen. Harrison is sworn into office."

If the Republican greed for official plums is now so terrific, after four years sojourn in the political wilderness, what would it be if, like the Democrats, they had been exiled four-and-twenty years.

To quote the philosophy of the old colored preacher:—"Brudder am dey who squeal loudest, for they am not a-going to be disappointed."

WINE SUPPER.

On Thanksgiving Day two members of the Sunday school of a former church paid their dear New Brooklyn, which they were sure were wild geese. Upon discovering them, the geese, in spite of their appearance to the contrary, were of the "tame" kind. The hunters "let go" at them and knocked down five. The sixth one was wounded and fell near the railroad track. Mr. Austin Scott, who witnessed the bird and brought it to taxidermist Jacob Van-Winkle, of this city, to have mounted.

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Charles Lenderski of Short Hills, had his horse tied securely on Second street, in front of Martin Bros., store, Tuesday afternoon, and went about town attending to business. While he was absent an engine came rattling through Second street, scared the horse and the latter plunging broke the traces. Had not Officer Lynch, who hurriedly reached the scene, the animal would have gotten away and perhaps done serious damage to property. Lenderski's attention was exerted by the prompt action of our gallant "Miller" Lynch.

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The Rev. Wm. Hayes Ward, who is apparently not the Presbyterian.

The New York Mail and Express of Saturday published a letter from Mr. Ward, of the Christian Advocate church, in which it editorially said, the day before:

"We will publish to-morrow a sermon on 'Christmas' by Rev. Dr. Talmage, of Brooklyn, delivered by the Presbyterian D. D. Mahaffy, of the Christian Advocate Presbyterian church, Plainfield, N. J. Surely both we and our readers are entitled to a sermon which is published and preached by a man of the highest standing. We have sent no more valuable sermon to our readers than this one. We have no doubt that in the Plainfield church Dr. Talmage seems to be and is considered, than is found in this sermon."

A WOMAN THE VICTIM.

Fatal Shooting Accident at Somerville—The "Old Story"—Spider's Home is was Exacted."

THE PRESS on Saturday was the only paper in the World, which recorded the fatal shooting affair, that took place in Bandolphville, a small hamlet near New Market, late on Friday afternoon. Although in possession of all the facts, brought direct from the lapels of the bogey by a Press reporter on Saturday, we simply made mention of the fact that Mrs. Sleath Tilsworth had been injured by the premature discharge of a gun, so as not to delay our forms from going to press. The particulars of the sad event are distressing, and are as follows:

A colored man in the employ of Mr. Sleath Tilsworth went to the woods during the afternoon, ostensibly to get a load of wood. He took with him a loaded gun, so as to be on the lookout for game. When he returned to the house late in the afternoon he deposited the gun against a stool in the yard. Mrs. Tilsworth was at work near by, and presently Willard Randolph, the ten-year-old son of Calvin Randolph, a neighbor, came up and, lifting the gun to his shoulder, playfully exclaimed: "Look out, or I'll shoot you." Mrs. Tilsworth implored him not to shoot, but he took no heed of her warning, and deliberately pulled the gun at her.

The gun was accidentally discharged, and the entire right side of Mrs. Tilsworth's face was torn completely away. The unfortunate woman fell prostrate to the ground, and when carried into the house she presented a sad appearance. Medical aid was at once summoned, but the physicians in charge say that she can not possibly recover, and she lingers along in an uncertain state. Mrs. Tilsworth is the daughter of Samuel Bradley of New Market. Her husband is distracted with grief, likewise the boy's parents.

Three physicians, two from New Brunswick, and one from Dunellen, have constantly been at the patient's bedside, since the accident, but they give no encouraging reports. The only thing in the patient's favor, they say, is that the cold weather will delay inflamation setting in.

Unveiling the Flag.

A novel entertainment is being arranged by the pupils of the High school, which will probably take place in Assembly Hall on Friday evening before Christmas, and to which the graduates of '86 class have been invited. The hostesses for which Mrs. Dr. J. H. Vincent presided over recently, has been completed, and will be "unveiled" on that evening. Money to purchase the frame was obtained by individual subscriptions from the pupils. The programme has not yet been arranged.

Death of Joseph P. Disbrough.

At his home on East Front street, on Friday afternoon, occurred the death of Mr. Daniel P. Disbrough, an old and esteemed resident of this city. The deceased was about 68 years of age, and enjoyed moderate health up to the time of his death. He was noticed on the streets only an hour or so previous to his death, but returning home, he expired suddenly. Mr. Disbrough was employed by Mr. Geo. D. Moore, the Park avenue butcher, for the past six years. A widow survives him.

Runaway.

An exciting runaway occured on North avenue, early Monday, but so far as known no serious damage resulted. A boy on horseback was riding along that thoroughfare at the time when the animal became frightened and ran away. The boy lost all control of the frightened animal, and turning into Park avenue narrowly escaped knocking down a commuter, who was on his way to the station. The animal was finally brought under control after reaching the corner of Seventh street, at a frightful speed, and the boy was holding on for dear life.

He Invented the Universe.

Hazel Brooks, a "new coon in town," became enthused with the idea, Tuesday afternoon, that he would like to tender Mrs. Dr. Disbrough a birthday party, and in a general good time, by holding a party in Dunlop's Hall, on some evening not yet announced. Accordingly he "got on" his ear, purchased some thirty-two sheets of envelopes to match, and with an ancient satchel containing cutlery, horse-shoe nails, and tar burning info Park avenue, and post office yesterday afternoon, and spent an hour or so directing envelopes to the "select few" whom he favored with an invitation to the "birthday party." Each Press received an invitation; so did (or will) ex-Postmaster Pope, Officer Lynch, "Gap" Fisher, and a score or more of well known people in this city. Following is a copy of the invitation received by a Press reporter:

Mr. Harris dancing

City of Plainfield, N. J.,

you is Respitfully invited to tend a Birthy party, dance, supper, show time and.

THE Press thought of having its invitation stereotyped, but it was unable to find a man who would undertake the job.

ARSON AND BURGLARY.

A dwelling house situated on E. Front street, opposite Mr. John Taylor Johnston's residence, was set on fire and burned to the ground between twelve and one o'clock Friday, A. M. together with all the furniture, clothing, etc.

The house was occupied by Mrs. Julius Beck, a widow lady, and her daughter, both of whom were spending the night with relatives in Brooklyn. A general alarm was sent out, but owing to the distance considerable time elapsed before the fire department was on hand, and they did reach the scene of the conflagration the building was enveloped in flames, and their efforts were directed to saving a few pieces of furniture on a few yards East of the burning building.

Persons who arrived first at the fire say that the kitchen door was wide open, which gives rise to the theory that the house was first ransacked and then set on fire. The fire burned fiercely and the flames did not commence to die down, preventing the flames from spreading. The house was handsomely furnished, and contained a piano, and everything else usually found in a well appointed home, all of which were destroyed.

The building was owned by a gentleman named Dunham of New York, and was insured about $4,500. Mrs. Beck had for about one-half. The loss on the furniture will probably not exceed $1,000, which is covered by insurance to the extent of $1,500. The piano was insured for $600. Miss Beck had about $1,000 worth of clothing in the house which was also destroyed.

The fire was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary as there was no fire left in the house on Wednesday when Mrs. Beck and her daughter started for Brooklyn to spend Thanksgiving Day with relatives.

Arrested in Washington.

Last of Saturday's Express contained the following item:

Washington, Dec. 1.—Detective Sergeant Boyle, of the Metropolitan police force, arrested this morning at the Baltimore & Ohio depot Frank Hall, Frank Hall, Jr., Frank Hall, 3d, and Miss Lizzie Hall, all of Plainfield, N. J., on the charge of having robbed the residence of Mr. Hall, Sr., of $1,000 worth of jewelry and silverware. The arrests were made on the information received from the Plainfield police. The prisoners will be taken back to Plainfield this afternoon.

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The result of unlimited attention to the operation of electric lighting plants, and the use of the most improved machinery and appliances.
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A GRAND FAIR!
Will be held in DUNLOP'S HALL, by the
Firemen's Association, of Plainfield,
DECEMBER 10th to 15th, Inclusive.
Many useful and fancy articles, Holiday Goods, &c., on sale.
Also, Gold and Silver Watches, a Handsome Parlor Lamp, and other articles, to be disposed of "Good Luck."
Admission, 10 cts. Ladies Free.
12-1-w2

Statement of Volunteer Work
Done on Washington Valley Road, Summer of 1887-8.
By P. MORTON, Superintendent.
Quantity of crushed stone put upon road, including that used in making culverts, 800 tons.
Of which the hauled free by individuals, 200 tons.
Number of culverts constructed, 2.
Wagons repaired, 200 tons.

Mr.	Days.	Wagons.	Horses.	Tons.
P. Morton,	4	1	2	40
A. Schlichenmeyer,	4	1	2	40
Wm. Morton,	4	1	2	40
Wm. Morton,	4	1	2	40
Wm. Morton

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W. L. PRICE, Postmaster.

Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

In Third Ward Tuesday, Mrs. John Bailey gave birth to a daughter.

Look for a change of advertisement for J. Rose & Co., in our next issue. It will interest you.

Mr. Alexander Johnson was stricken down with a fit in the postoffice, on Saturday evening. He soon recovered and was able to go home.

The meeting of the Crescent Avenue church has been postponed one week, and, in consequence, service will not be held there for a few days yet.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Mr. Wm. Ogden, Jr., in this issue. Goods, suitable for Christmas presents, may there be found in abundance.

The lamp of the Twilight Social Club on Thanksgiving Eve., was largely attended. It proved a success, about 80 people being led by Miss Louise Noble and Mr. Wm. Rimes.

Beautiful signal displays at Newark, N. J., West Shore and Pennsylvania depots, and improvement there be sure of getting a pressure service. Before purchasing bell, try goods; give him a call and inspect his stock.

In another column is an interesting statement of the volunteer work done on Washington's Valley Road during the week ending Nov. 24th. It gives the names of each plate-layer employed and what he did. There is also a list of the cash contributions.

A two-mile spinning race for $50 a side, between horses owned by John Bonner of this city and Jack Manning of Round Brook, took place at the track on Front Street, Monday night, and was witnessed by a large crowd. Bonner won Manning's trotting away over the race. Time 6:14.

The regular Wednesday and Friday evening prayer meetings of the Crescent Avenue church will be held in the Second Relief Chapel. The Friday evening meeting of the Bethel Mission has been changed to Thursday evening to accommodate the Crescent Avenue Church people.

The children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of Mr. B. R. Cothell, gathered at his residence on Somerset street, Saturday evening, to quadruple celebrate his sixty-sixth birthday. Those included Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Cothell, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson, Morgan C. Bird and Fred Wilbert, all of this city. Mr. Cothell is a lads old man, and has been a life-long resident of this city.

Firemen Knocked Out.

A closely contested bowling match took place in the Elizabeth Athletic Club rooms, at Elizabeth, Monday, between a team of Plainfield firemen and a team of Elizabeth firemen. The Plainfield bowling club used a similar team from the Elizabeth club. The Plainfield team played well and made 1,207 points, but Elizabeth completely knocked them out. Following is the individual score:

ELIZABETH.		PLAINFIELD.	
Holden	190	H. Force	167
Lender	180	W. Force	164
Lewis	177	Miller	160
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J. W. Price	180	Miller	160
Bonnell	180	Miller	160
Total	1,284	Total	1,207

Knightly Gathering.

Pythagorean Lodge, No. 74, K. of P. of this city, entertained its members and friends at their Castle Hall, in a most delightful manner, Friday evening. The first part of the evening was occupied with an entertainment of a miscellaneous nature, and included an overture by Prof. Conlin's band, an address by Supreme Chancellor W. H. H. Pike, C.C., who also acted as Master of Ceremonies; Assemblyman Urch, made an address on the "Condition of the Order in New Jersey;" a song by Mr. Tuttle, entitled "Grandpa," by Messrs Morgan Turton, Louis DeLong and Miss Della Yoell, were successfully well rendered, and a recitation by Miss DeVere's Bible class, entitled "Mary's Lamb," was also well delivered and brought forth hearty applause. "Gardner's Ride," a recitation by Master Ford, was also well rendered, and the recitation "His boy on the Force," by Mr. John D. Carney, was simply inimitable.

During the evening, the members of the Park Avenue Social Club gave several vocal selections, which were warmly received by the large audience present. The selections rendered were by Mr. Moore, J. Patterson and L. DeCamp, was the last number on the programme, after which the members, their friends and the ladies in the room of Pythagorean repaired to where a sumptuous collation was in waiting for them.

Dancing was indulged in until midnight, when the happy gathering dispersed. The Committee of Arrangements are to be congratulated upon their success in the entertainment provided and profitable enjoyment.

A Great Social Event.

Probably the greatest social entertainment of the season will be the first Poverty Collection given by the Young Ladies' Mission Band, and, at the residence of Mrs. J. Kirkland Myers on West Seventh street. Among the many attractions of the night, will be a grand concert by the whole band of Brooklyn, assisted by Mr. Wells Hutchinson, of New York. Mr. Sinclair will be the Grillion with Miss Hutchinson assisted by Mr. Wells with Miss Hart. The figures were all new and original, and will be participated in by among those who participated were: Miss Isabelle Parker and Miss Belle Ingraham of New York; Miss Lillian Dunscomb of Brooklyn; Miss Alice Fairbairn, Miss Lena Hart, Miss Fanny Stewart and Miss Lizzie Johnson of New York, Miss Carrie Knowlton of Orange, Miss Lizzie Dodd of Bound Brook, Miss Eleanor M. Shepard of Fanwood, Miss Maud Ayres and Miss Emily Frost of New York, Miss Jessie Hart, Miss Bessie Maxwell, Miss Lottie Hart, Miss Nettie Gardner, Miss Gertrude Murray, Miss Eddie Yates, Miss Carrie Sidwell, Miss Kittie Stewart, Miss Lizzie Stewart, Miss Lizzie Hart, Miss Tompkins, Miss Minnie Clifton Wharton of Frinceton, Miss Dumont of Brooklyn, Miss Lansing of Morristown, Miss Paul Lansing of Morristown, Miss Lizzie Hart, Miss Bessie Maxwell, Miss Lottie Hart, Miss Nettie Gardner, Miss Gertrude Murray, Miss Eddie Yates, Miss Carrie Sidwell, Miss Kittie Stewart, Miss Lizzie Stewart, Miss Lizzie Hart, Miss Tompkins, Miss Minnie Clifton Wharton of Princeton, Miss Dumont of Brooklyn, Miss Lansing of Morristown, Miss Paul Lansing of Morristown, Messrs. Frank Sidwell, Howard W. Bodell, Geo. Bodell, Fred W. Tuttle, Robt. A. Fairbairn, Jr., Wm. Hunt, E. Lewis Wain, Jr., Greville Fort, Wm. Ingraham, Jr., Wm. Lyon, Jr., Harry Warren Arrowsmith, R. M. Van Horne, F. P. VanBuren, J. W. Bodell, Floyd L. Tompkins of Newark, Charles and Frank Hyde of Orange.

Personals.

Mrs. Ella Ferris, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. T. Logan Murphy, of Washington avenue, North Plainfield.

A progressive euchre party was given at the residence of the Misses Day, on Thursday night, North Plainfield on Thanksgiving night.

The Rev. A. V. V. Raymond of Albany, will exchange pulpits with the Rev. Corwin Roy Shank, of Trinity Reformed church, Sunday.

Rev. T. E. Honeyman of North Plainfield, is again able to leave the house, after a confinement of about two weeks from a slight trouble.

Mr. J. C. Tawyer, formerly of North Plainfield, but now of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. Chas. Wann of Willow avenue.

Miss Whiting of Brooklyn is the guest of Miss Gardiner of Central avenue. Miss Whiting, it is said, will permanently locate here in the near future. Hush!

As a result of a children's fair held by Grace church guild, at their home on East Fourth street, twenty dollars more will be added to Grace church building fund.

Mr. W. H. Hammond of this city is perhaps the most skillful window dresser in this vicinity. He will exert himself in arranging for H. Werner's show windows this week.

Mrs. Hazeldand of Sycamore avenue, Washington Park, North Plainfield, is building three very pretty and attractive dwellings on Rockview avenue, near Magnolia avenue.

Messrs. James Whitfield and Howard Martin, both of this city, started Monday for Missouri, and from there to Texas, the objective point being Washington Territory.

Mr. Martin L. Cooley and family of Rockville avenue, left Monday for Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they will spend the Winter. Mr. Cooley has resided on Rockville avenue.

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After a pleasant visit of six weeks with her father, Mr. Timothy Morse of East Fifth street, Mrs. D. O. Butterfield has returned to her home in Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Dr. C. D. Mitchell has entirely recovered his former good health, and is now enjoying a hunting trip in the South. He will probably return to Plainfield and resume practice early in the coming year.

Mrs. James Howarth who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Demarest, of 2 Plainfield avenue, for the past few months, left the city Monday for her home at Big Rock, Michigan.

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The Republican League men of New York City, held an "informal dinner on Saturday evening, at the Hoffman House Hotel, in that city on Saturday evening. Among the guests present were Messrs F. H. Schoonmaker and R. L. Swords of this city.

The Rev. J. L. Harlbut and Miss Kate Kimball, were present at the recent Reception Meeting of the C. L. S. C., held in the Methodist Episcopal church, Mayville, last week, when the graduates of the Chautauqua University passed through the Golden Gate.

Mr. T. H. Field, the venerable father of Dr. C. M. Field of this city, was suddenly stricken ill while returning home from church on Sunday morning. He was assisted to his home on Broadway. Mr. Field's condition is yet of such a serious nature as to give his friends cause for much anxiety.

Mr. Frank Hubbard, son of Mrs. A. V. V. Raymond, and well-known to an extensive circle of friends in the best society of Chatsby, was married in Albany on Wednesday of last week, to Miss Benjamin Arnold of that city. The bride and groom will sail from New York City, Saturday afternoon, by the S.S. "Aurania," for a tour of Europe.

Night before last, a very pleasant surprise social was tendered to Miss Alice Keely, at her residence on Lafayette avenue, by a number of young friends. The event was a complete success. Singing, recitations and dancing were the features of the evening, during which supper was served. The party broke up about 1 o'clock in the morning, after an hour and all expressed themselves as being well pleased with the evening's enjoyment.

Social Hop Night.

Miss Emily Hadley, the hackman, went to Harry Hadley's flood at Scotch Plains, last Saturday evening, and wicked up a row. For his trouble he got an unmerciful beating, and had to be taken home in a carriage. Hadley was reported to be trying Beverley is continually getting himself into trouble, and his latest escapade should teach him a lesson. He ought to be "run in" for a few months, and thus have a chance to cool the fever that seems to be burning for fresh fields to conquer.

Knights of Honor.

Plainfield Lodge, No. 1,200, of the Knights of Honor, held its regular meeting on Friday evening, the 30th ult., at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Dictator	Wm. H. Cole.
Vice Dictator	Wm. Ogden, Jr.
Assistant Dictator	Wm. Hunt.
Reporter	Wm. Ogden, Jr.
Financial Reporter	Wm. Hunt.
Treasurer	Wm. Ogden, Jr.
Guardian	Wm. Hunt.
Sentinel	Wm. Ogden, Jr.
Trustee	Wm. Hunt.
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Robbery on Somerset Street.

During Monday night, a robber or robbers entered the butcher shop of Mr. Geo. Bordwell, on Somerset street, and carried away the contents of the money drawer, besides a quality of beef, pigs feet, etc.

An entrance to the shop was effected by prying open the window on the north side, and forcing open a back window. Mr. Fuller told a Press reporter last evening that he did not return to the shop after supper, but left his clerks in charge. When he entered the place yesterday morning, he discovered that the money drawer had been rifled, and there was general disorder about the place. About twelve dollars in money was missing; also the thief.

A Serious Runaway.

Louis Randolph, a colored man employed by Messrs J. M. Runyon & Sons, the Undertakers, sustained a severe fracture to both of his lower limbs in a runaway accident on West Seventh street, Tuesday afternoon. The young man drives Rev. J. P. Taylor and his daughter to a house on Grant avenue, and was returning, when, rounding the corner at Church and Seventh streets, a shaft broke, frightening the horse. Near that point the wagon collided with a tree, and threw the occupants to the ground. The horse broke out and sustained a severe fracture to both of his legs, between the knee and the hip, besides other injuries about the head. It was thought it would be killed.

The injured man was taken to the Muhlenberg Hospital where Drs. Long and Hodges administered the usual treatment.

The Crowe Lee Will.

In the taking of testimony in the Crowe Lee will case before Master in Chancery Herbert W. Knight at the Court House, Elizabeth on Monday afternoon, a witness named William Hetfield, who was in the room when the instrument was executed, testified that the Scotch Plains Baptist Church $800,000; testified that Lee's mind was frequently wandered, and that after the death of his brother he was unfit to transact business. Previous to signing the will he was careless and continually raved for his physician. After he had signed the paper the witness and the new executor things upon the walls and asked witness to defend him with his revolver. Dr. Long, who also testified, said that he thought Lee was not in a fit condition to sign his will, but he had said to the witness in a whisper that he would prefer to wait a few days. The case promises to occupy the Court for some time.

Bazaar and Fair.

The bazaar and fair in aid of the Church of Our Redeemer, Bound Brook, held in Mr. J. J. H. Fisher's new residence, corner of Putnam street and Kensington avenue, on Friday afternoon and evening, was a most successful financial success, and the church will be richly rewarded, as the result of those having the matter in charge. In the evening, there was an entertainment attendance, and many useful articles, suitable for holiday presents, were disposed of. The decorations in the rooms and on the lawn of the house were superb. Miss Maud Lord was Directress, and the various tables were presided over by the following persons:

Candy, Caroline Jacobus, Katie Wood-Flowers, Mrs. Wm. A. Lord. Peanuts, Miss May McMillan Toys, Master Carol Lord, Stereoscopic, Miss Mary Lord and Eddie Woodward. Old Woman in Shoe, Little Miss Rae Pollion with dolls. Fancy table, Blanche Taylor, Edith Smalley. Fancy table, Maggie Lord, Annie Seward. Basket table, Marian Bowen, Daisy Kyte. Silk Handkerchief table, May Cahoone. Bean Board, Freddie Pollion and Sydney Lord. Apron table, Mrs. E. H. Woodward, Mrs. S. A. Haines, and Miss Margaret Myers. Mrs. Lord, Lemonade, Mrs. Bolgood.

Mr. Chase of "Edelweiss" Shoots Himself.

The hosts of friends of Mr. R. F. M. Chase of North Plainfield, will deeply regret to hear of the serious accident that happened to him Wednesday, and which resulted in the total loss of his right eye. Mr. Chase is the owner of a handsome residence and grounds situated on the side of the mountain facing up from Somerset street just at the eastern end of the bridge.

He is a most hospitable gentleman, and that day as usual had a number of friends at his home whom he was entertaining in various ways to entertain. About noon they were engaged in the skillful sport of breaking glass balls and bottles by shooting them with a rifle, and Mr. Chase had proved himself the best shot of all. He probably could not have been excelled by any amateur in the county.

The rifle he was using was a breech-loader, shooting cartridges of 32-calibre. About half-past twelve he had just placed another cartridge in the breech of the barrel, and he raised the gun to his shoulder as he was reloading it. The cartridge, however, had not been pushed entirely into the barrel, and as the stock struck it an explosion followed. The ball passed out of the mouth of the gun and sped harmlessly through the air, but the back end of the cartridge was blown off and entered Mr. Chase's eye.

A reporter of The Press examined this little missile after it was taken from the disabled eye. It is a round bit of thin copper, slightly smaller than a silver three-cent piece, stamped with a letter U. It was driven with the ball of the eye to the posterior where it rebounded and imbedded itself in the ball again.

The pain caused by the wound was intense, and the sufferer's cries were summoned by telephone at once, and Drs. Probasco and Endicott arrived as soon as possible. Dr. Probasco decided immediately that the eye could be lost, not any delays permitted. The diagnosis and treatment of the most skilful specialist must be sought at once. If such a one was sent for he could not arrive probably before the next morning, and Dr. Probasco thought that there might be too late to save the sight of the unfortunate man's eyes, or, possibly, his life.

The removal of the patient to New York was decided on, and accompanied by Dr. Probasco, Mr. Chase was taken to the hospital, at 46 West 12th street, of Dr. Herman Knapp, professionally known as renowned and skilful eye specialist in the United States. Mr. Chase was put under the influence of a narcotic, and the entire eye was removed.

It is not yet well, then that the intense suffering ceased. The motion of the carriage to the station, and even the vibration of the railroad cars, increased the pain of the wound, and the sufferer thought at one time during the journey that the patient would die of the shock. Mr. Chase will remain for a week or two at the hospital, for the after-treatment and after nursing necessary for the healing of the socket. Dr. Knapp has removed and successfully treated over 8000 eyes, and the greatest physician of Mr. Chase in his hands probably saved the sight of the other eye, and possibly the patient's life.

The Return of the Free Mail way.

There was delivered by the carriers of the Plainfield postoffice during the month of November 16,000 letters, 12,300 papers and 10,853 postal cards.

Borough Board of Health.

There was a meeting of the Borough Board of Health held at the office of Dr. Carman, Monday. All the members were present, and after considering and acting upon such matters as came before them, adjourned to meet on the first Monday in January, 1889.

The police force worked, and when they got everything ready it rained. Just what the thief wanted is not known.

City Council Meeting.

The regular December meeting of the City Council was called to order by President E. Z. Marsh at 8:00 o'clock Monday evening, with the following members present: Messrs Dunckel, Dunham, Erickson, Gilmore, Lyon, Squires and Wright. Mr. Clark came in later. The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved. The clerk made a report on the unfinished business.

Sundry petitions and communications were presented and referred as follows:

W. A. Lawrence asked for a peddler's license. Referred and later granted.

Mrs. DeForest and Miss Webster had William Newman, petitioned the Council for a light on West Second, Liberty and Liberty streets, also for a drum-walk.

From Geo. W. Taylor, asking for an electric light to be located in front of, or near No. 96 West Second street.

The petitions were presented and referred to the proper committees as follows:

Fire Department—D. A. Woodhouse & Co., $126.54; Times Printing and Publishing Co., 5.50; East Plainfield Hose Co., 4.50; Jos. Conroy, 9.93; Alva Freeman, 2.50; Jno. B. Gable, 50.00; F. Schock, 62.50; J. E. Plainfield, 19; H. W. Sherwin, 2.50; Jno. Hetfield, 2.50; Geo. S. & A. Laine, 18.75; A. D. Thompson, 32.32.

Miscellaneous—P. A. Dunham, 823.43 and 5.41; John Johnson, 160.17 and 65.80; J. Cozens, 4.50; W. S. Hiller, 6.; G. W. Green, 60; Chas. Green, 60; P. Fine, 60; T. McCue, 60; F. Flanigan, 60; P. Lynch, 60; T. J. Carey, 75; Plainfield Electric Light Co., 6.; R. Lowden, 30; D. Hosford & Son., 9.15; C. A. Mosch, 59.42; Times Printing and Publishing Co., 26.25; W. L. Force & Bro., 64.15; P. Lynch, 15; J. T. Yell, 160.80; M. Sullivan, 60; and 611.46 and 39.25; J. H. Wilson, 324.98; Johnson Bros., 56.75; J. H. Wilson, 57.60.

Roads—W. K. McClave, 36; E. A. Hartpence, 53.75; D. S. Cole, 7; J. Hanahan, 10; J. McGuigan, 3.; J. Cassidy, 7; C. McCarty, 4.; M. J. Roll, 2; M. A. Cooper, 2; B. Guttman, Agt., 12; B. Fleming, 5; J. H. Kenyon, 18; J. Cahill, 12; L. Conway, 12; J. Lyons, 12; M. Lyons, 12; Wm. Ettinger, 4; L. A. Conant, 4; Ladies Relief Association, 85.50; N. S. Morse, 63.

The monthly reports of the collector and treasurer were received and referred to the Finance Committee.

The report of the overseer of the poor for the month was received and filed.

Chief Doane submitted his monthly statement concerning the Fire Department apparatus in good working order, and also reported the condition of the water supply, stating that there is an abundant supply in all of the wells and cisterns of the borough. On motion of Mr. Erickson the attention of the Council to the necessity of establishing a fire alarm system and the location of street boxes in different parts of the city. Referred to the Committee, and when they report, there have been 14 fires, one of which was of incendiary origin, 3 resulted from fireworks, and the remainder from accidental causes.

Mr. Dunham, from the Select Committee, reported progress in the Depot matter.

The Aline Committee returned the poor claims, and they went into the hands of the Auditing Committee.

Mr. Gilmore, from the Finance Committee, returned the claims of the collector, without the committee's approval. The committee approved the claims of F. A. Dunham, $823.43.

The Fire Water and Lamps Committee, through Mr. Erickson, reported correct the fire department claims and also the street and sewer claims, as filed. The committee recommended granting extra lights as follows:

Liberty street, Third street, four on West Fourth street two on Dunellen avenue; one on East Second street; one on Belvidere avenue; one on Broadway; one in each of the two Department houses, and an extra one in the hallway of the Truck house. The report was received and recommendation adopted.

Mr. Erickson also reported that the petitions for lights, referred to the committee with power, had been located as follows: Two on Clinton avenue; two on East Fourth street; and three in the Netherwood district. He said that an article which appeared in the news a few days ago, to the effect that the Netherwood district, Water and Lamps Committee, had made arrangements with the manager of the Electric Light Company, to put on extra lights was false in fact, as January 1, was false and without foundation.

Mr. Erickson also reported in favor of Chief Doane's application regarding fire department badges, and recommended that 150 badges be purchased at a cost not to exceed 15 cents each.

The several committees reported back the claims presented to them during the evening, and they were referred to the Auditing Committee.

Mr. Dunnont recommended the laying of cross-walks at the intersection of Fifth and Liberty streets; also at sixth and Liberty streets. Recommendation adopted. He also reported verbally on the matter of a street railway, stating that a conference had been held with the petitioners, but the committee was not prepared to report definitely.

Mr. Moffett made a motion which prevailed, to the effect that the Chief of Police be instructed to prosecute, to be located on the "Boulevard," at a cost of one dollar a month for both horses. This will do away with one policeman in that locality.

Mr. Ginna submitted a resolution fixing the salary of the Collector for the unexpired term of 1888 at 1½ per cent. and for all taxes collected between December 25th and January 1st, following, 3½ per cent. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Ginna submitted "an ordinance concerning the collection of taxes." It was read twice and ordered engrossed and duly advertised. The ordinance provides for the payment of $1,000 annually, to the collector for the faithful performance of his duties.

Mr. Dunnont offered an ordinance amending the ordinance relative to the duties of the City Clerk. The ordinance, appoints the Clerk on City Auditor, whose duty it shall be to examine all claims and report same to the Committee on Claims. The ordinance was adopted on its second reading and ordered engrossed and advertised.

The Auditing Committee reported on the claims referred during the evening, and they were ordered paid.

The Fire, Water and Lamps Committee deemed it advisable to defer introducing fire department by-laws for the present. It submitted a communication relative to the location of fire alarm boxes in different parts of the city. The communication was referred to a former meeting. It was adopted on its second reading, ordered engrossed and advertised.

At the suggestion of Dunnont, it was decided that when the Council adjourn, it be to meet again on the 28th instant.

A resolution by Mr. Gilmore authorizing the Mayor and Treasurer to effectuate a forty-day note for $5,000 in satisfaction of taxes pertaining to the Aline.

The reports of the Collector and Treasurer were returned from the Finance Committee, and filed, and the Council then adjourned.

Another Free Mail Accident.

We again record another of the accidents which so frequently occur to the unprotected in the dangerous game of foot ball. While a game was in progress on the Common grounds, on Saturday afternoon, Mr. Ernest Walz of LaGrande avenue, received painful injuries about the face, arm and knee, from the effects of which the young man is still confined to his room. Dr. Endicott was called professionally, and has taken home to a carriage by a friend and a physician summoned.

The Grand Bazaar That the M. E. S. S. and They've Held.

The Crescent building was a brilliant scene of busy activity, Tuesday, upon the opening of the long expected Carnival Bazaar.

The different booths are represented by the churches, each having a separate booth, trimmed appropriately so as to harmonize with the fantastic style of the affair.

The Carnival was very well patronized, considering that it was the first night. Numerous articles were on sale with unusual nobility. It is to be hoped that the people in Plainfield will take this opportunity of showing their appreciation of the work the organizations are doing, and patronize them as much as possible. No time or expense has been spared to make this the grand event of the season, and when one can buy so many useful articles at such reasonable prices, the ladies ought to realize something handsome from it.

It is well worth the price of admission to walk in and look around at the interesting objects that take up one's attention on an occasion like this. The boothsand the ladies who represent the different churches in them, are as follows:

The Zion Army Booth is one of the handsomest. Its roof is covered with snow that sparkles in the light, and from its eaves hang icicles that are fairly irridescent with the light. It is presided over by the First Baptist church, and woolen goods indigenous to that month, are alone sold. The latest in designs are: Mrs. A. H. Hamlin, Mrs. Cooley, Mrs. S. J. Sherwin, Mrs. J. S. Tredaway, Mrs. A. Walter Havilland, Miss Grace Yerkes and Miss Addie Gardner.

The February booth of the Park Avenue Baptist church, is the most elegant in its artistic arrangement. It represents the interior of a rich reception room—with its open fire place, decorated mantel, and a rug covered floor. Books and stationery are offered in great variety. Those in charge are: Mrs. J. W. Johnson and Miss Nellie Heyniger, assisted by Mrs. Asa Reed Dillis, Mrs. A. C. Stebbins, Mrs. Thaxton Lowry, Mrs. John Coard, Miss Lillian Lowry.

March is a plain but well stocked booth of all sorts of fancy goods, under the auspices of the Crescent Avenue church. The walls of a windmill ornament its gable end, equalled in their appropriateness by a makeshift and handsome kite that hangs in front of the booth. Mrs. A. Cahoone is chairwoman of the ladies in charge, who include Mrs. Henry C. Squires, Miss Minnie Miller, Miss Eleanor Mathews and Miss Lizzie Hall.

April is the extensive booth of the Methodist Episcopal church, where all sorts of goods for showery weather are offered for sale. It is one of the features of the Carnival. Mrs. D. E. Davis is Directress of a number of earnest workers. Mrs. W. F. Griffen has charge of the umbrellas, Mrs. H. E. Jackson, the gentlemen's furnishings, Mrs. Clinton VanVliet, the rubber overshoes. Miss Fisher offers dainty floral extracts, with Miss Mary Anglemon presiding over bowls of soap and glycerine concoctions from which contestants strive to blow the biggest bubble possible and keep the ornamental pipe well filled with smoke.

May's booth is that of the Trinity Reformed church, and is most generously supplied with housekeeping goods for the month when the robins last again. It is presided over by Mrs. Corwin Roy Shank. Miss Lilian Force, assisted by Miss Woodruff and Miss Minnie Force. Everything here is offered from a broiler to a bed spread, is offered. Miss Jessie K. Stevens has donated a pair of valuable homing pigeons that are for sale at this booth. They are a fine pair of birds, were hatched in September and October of this year, and registered Z 2,907 and Z 14,214.

June's is the handsome flower bower in the centre of the building. The booth is a beautiful representation of the month of bloom and blossom. Miss Adelaide McGee, Miss Carrie Jackson and Miss Lizzie Dorman are in attendance, and cut flowers in abundance in stock in trade.

July is represented by a gypsy tent carpeted with straw, and furnished within and without by the wierd appurtenances of the gypsy race. Mrs. Tertius Iselins, Miss Georgia Chamberlin and Miss Madge Sutphen, with Miss Grace Howard, Miss Margaret Hetfield, Mrs. A. C. Bayeux, Miss Ethel Benton and Miss Harned, are the gorgeously bedecked occupants.

August's tent is inhabited by olive-tinted Japanese. They serve tea, ice cream and succulent tea, and sell, as well, all sorts and conditions of Japanese goods. Miss Julia J. Ketcham is assisted in the success of the novelty, by Mrs. Read, Miss Wood, Miss Glen, Miss Remsen, Miss Blair, Miss Radford, Miss Potter and Miss Petrie.

September's booth is most attractive, and in it is sold the toothsome sweets of the confectioner's art. It is presided over by Mrs. B. T. Barnes, Miss Burnett, Mrs. Vandalinda, Mrs. W. H. Brower, Mrs. Jacob Kirkner, Miss Lizzie Lang, Miss Whitfield, Miss Haff, the Misses Carrie and May Kirkner, and Messrs Percy, Hall Henry and Louis VanAlstine.

October is represented in a beautiful booth built of golden grain, where nuts, fruits, canned goods, flour and golden pumpkins are present in profusion. It is presided over by ladies of Grace Episcopal church, of whom Miss Guion is the head assisted by Miss Julia Borden, Miss Cecil Lowry and Miss Lily Burt.

November with the thought of Thanksgiving's frugal boards, is, very appropriately, the refreshment department. Many tables are set forth at which any thing to tempt the palate can be obtained. Mrs. McNaughton and Mrs. E. P. Williams are in charge, and the charming waitresses in the refreshment room are: Misses Holmes, Miss Eleanor Demarest, Miss Florence Knight, Miss Carrie Rose, Miss Moffett, Miss Clara Ulrich, Miss Lulu Hall, Miss Florence Potter, Miss Lulu Clawson, Miss Grace Lewis, Miss Florence Thirlwerth and Miss Maud Pot-ter.

Seventeen sermons united with Trinity Reformed church on Sunday morning, after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck. The occasion was one of deep interest to the congregation, and the deep spiritual interest manifested. The welcome tendered to the new members by the pastor, was of a hearty and touching nature, and one that reached the hearts of many. The Holy Spirit of the Lord is truly at work among the people of Trinity church, and the fifteen of the prayer meeting with the reward they so richly deserve. At the evening service a still larger congregation greeted him and attentively listened to a discourse from the "Things that cannot be controverted in a Christian's experience." His text "One thing I know; that, whereas I was blind, now I see." was found in St. John, 9th chapter, a part of the 25th verse. The subject was ably presented in the pastor's usual able manner.

Another gratifying evidence of the growth of this church is the steady increase in number of scholars in regular attendance at the Sunday school. Superintendent Arthur Cozens reports the school yesterday as 300, the largest in the history of the school.

Evening Sociable.

An evening sociable was tendered to the ladies who assisted at the recent fair of Franklin Council, No. 42, Jr., O. U. A. M., in Dunlap's Hall, Tuesday. The entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by the large number of young people present. The grand march was led by Mr. C. M. Post and Miss Louise Sollner.

The success of the occasion is largely due to the efforts of the Committee of Arrangements, composed of the following persons: J. M. Donavan, chairman; R. E. Connolly, secretary; J. H. Wilson, treasurer; C. U. Davis, W. B. Bonnell, Wm. Demarest, W. C. Emory, Wm. R. Sharp, G. Demarest, E. E. Vail and D. S. Duncan.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance has been passed by the Common Council, and the same will be published according to law:

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance relating to the duties of the City Clerk," approved March 1st, 1886.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

That there be added to section 1 of said ordinance the following:

It shall be the duty of the City Clerk to cut in the presence of the Board of Assessors, at the time of the assessment of taxes, the number of each section of city officers which are fixed by the charter of the city of Plainfield, and to deliver to each of said officers at that purpose not less than five days before any regular meeting of the Common Council, a list of the names and exhibit all such sheets which report contains, and the said officers shall return the same at the meeting thereof receive the presentation of same.

GILTNER B. LEONARD, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., December 1, 1888.

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The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

That the Collector of Taxes of said City shall receive from the 25th day of December, 1888, to January 1st, 1889, inclusive, the amount of taxes assessed for the year 1888, and the City Clerk shall make out a list of the names of the persons whose taxes are so paid, and the amount thereof, and deliver the same to the Collector of Taxes, who shall receive for the same shall be delivered.

That the Common Council shall, at any time, designate said officer, other than the collector of taxes, who shall receive the taxes and make out warrant or warrants for the collection of the same, and deliver the same to the officer who shall be charged with the collection, and have the same duties and powers as the collector of taxes.

GILTNER B. LEONARD, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., December 1, 1888.

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Concerning the storage of Petroleum or Kerosene Oil within the City of Plainfield.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That no person, persons or corporation shall store or have in their possession, for the purpose of sale, or for any other purpose, within the City of Plainfield, petroleum or kerosene oil in quantity exceeding five barrels, without a permit therefor from the Common Council.

Sec. 2. That all persons or persons shall desire to store petroleum or kerosene oil in quantity exceeding five barrels, shall make application therefor to the Common Council, in writing, stating the quantity desired to be stored, and the place or places at which such storing is to be done, and the Common Council may thereupon grant a permit to such person or persons or corporation, requiring all petroleum or kerosene oil to be stored in tanks or other vessels the same been used immediately in the ground, and the tanks or vessels connected to the standpipe in which said petroleum or kerosene oil is to be stored, and the delivery of service of such tanks, and at every hydrant to connect with the same, and the delivery of service of such tanks, and at every hydrant to connect with the same, and the delivery of service of such tanks, and at every hydrant to connect with the same

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We have now built about 100,000 miles of railroads in the United States.

A pet, we presume.

If, however, anybody entertained any prospect, why not also advocate the annexation of Mexico and Cuba?

Would not annexation be as relevant as bribing?

Nothing is too wild for conversation at home nowadays, if possibly to wind pools, for far beyond the limits of sound judgment.

The territorial bounds of the United States are now quite wide enough for safety, and certainly too vast, if the wretched system of protecting citizens in the enjoyment of their property and person is to be any longer tolerated.

Rather, we believe, for us as Americans to thoroughly clear our own national household of the foul odors of political corruption before we even think of inviting neighbors to order.

Fortunately, and assuredly, it is not required for the unity of the foreign market.

THE WE ENVISION.

A leading organ among Republicans now appears to be "what of the future of James G. Blaine."

His immediate friends urge, if they do not actually demand, Mr. Blaine's acceptance of the Secretary of State, in the enjoyment of the prestige which that office confers upon its incumbent under the mantle of the mention of such a prospect.

What is to be John?

The perplexity of the situation is evidently increased by the uncertain attitude of Mr. Harrison.

In the Mr. Blaine the

The future of the Democratic party is the absorbing topic of the hour.

The greatest of calamities, lying in dread.

Was he not the central figure in the recent Presidential canvass?

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"To be or not to be."

That's the question.

HOWARD: DEMOCRATS.

Although the Democratic party was defeated defeat in the recent Presidential election, when all the facts of the contest are taken into consideration, no one can say for Democratic discouragement.

After a most extraordinary campaign of false representation and profuse money spending, the Republicans succeeded in securing a small majority of doubtful character, but with a slim and doubtful portion majority in Congress, and with a popular defeat in the whole country of about 100,000 against them.

The issue distinctly made by the Democratic party on behalf of a practical revision and reduction of the tariff, and the general anti-chandelering fault was quickly seized by the lobby runners, and had that issue been firmly met by the republicans, it would have carried the banner of Democracy onward to victory.

The issue thus and will yet be triumphant.

The Republican leaders in Congress had just put up a job to distribute the surplus and vote it "local reform," but active protest at the rear of the evil; it will fail to secure the approval of an honest and thoroughly intelligent public. Bogus legislation cannot be made to pass current.

Democratic form of State policy of daily taxation, it is to consolidate party interests, and with determined energy to wage uncompromising warfare against political corruption of every kind, and all necessary laws of the equal rights and just privileges of the people.

Onward! Democrats!!

HENDON SMEAR.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed Proposals for Building Bridges in Hunterdon County.

To the Editors of the Rovaltyn Eagle

Will somebody use beautiful thanks of all true reformers for your admirable and long speech on the tariff? The Mail, Times, Post and the National Sin," Thoughtful men, who have studied the signs of the times, are beginning to fear that the end of popular government in this country is approaching, and not a few are inclining toward the opinion that the time is past for a reform of any kind that comes from the people. The State and municipal governments are largely controlled by self-constituted executive committees that direct both the party machinery and really govern the people. With a few exceptions, when Don Piatt described as having "more dignity off his birthday than any politician on earth," and Horace Greeley for the most part of millionaires and the servants of monopolies, and a House of Representatives little better in its intellectual or moral makeup, it would seem that we have now a government of monopoly, for monopoly and by monopoly. Whether it is possible for the American mind not be changed to have a despotism in reality while retaining the semblance of a free government. A plutocracy can surrender our existing forms for protection guard, the machine politicians would go on the downfall of the republic to-morrow. Is there no remedy for the evil? Is the American people do not very soon wake up to the danger all is lost or in your articles, "the emptiness of today will see the Republic of the United States come from serving rent, and generations of the people, for the people and by the people, perish from the earth." If it be just that the political manner is not honorable, the press of the country should do all in its power to awaken the people to the danger that threatens. Before any great reform can be hoped for the honorable means of voting must be secured.

M. T.

Berlin, December 5, 1888.

—The meeting of the brewery men in Newark Thursday, to hold an emergency in The Brewers' Mutual Insurance Company of Newark, N. J., and the election of trustees for the ensuing year, was largely attended. The following gentlemen were elected trustees: Peter Doremus, Jr., Jacob Ballantine, Jr., Christian Feigenspan, Jr., Peter Ballantine, Jr., Christian Ruppert, Theodore Ballantine, Jr., Edward Ballantine, Jr., Charles Ruppert, Jr., Christian Feigenspan, Jr., Christian Ruppert, Jr., Christian Feigenspan, Jr., Christian Ruppert, Jr., Christian Feigenspan, Jr., Christian

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Mail, Oil and Water Colors for sale at Peck's.
The shooting season opens Dec. 15.
[illegible] Mr. [illegible] is now on a visit to his parents in Ohio.
The editor of the Herald has gone to Texas.
Mr. [illegible] is superintending the opening of the new Presbyterian church.
A dwelling house is being erected on the west side of Front street.
The crossing at the depot is being raised to the level of Front street.
Mr. [illegible] has returned to the city and has taken charge of the Opera House.
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A GROUP OF GOVERNORS.

Some New Brides of Former Chiefs of the Empire State.

The next Governor of Connecticut will be a Republican. Although the State has been

MORGAN G. BULKELEY, number 28, 1888.

Democratic for many years, Governor E. S. Morgan, who retires from office on January 1, will be succeeded by the Republican candidate, Morgan G. Bulkeley, who was elected by a majority of 3,000. Governor Bulkeley is a native of East Hartford, Conn., where he was born sixty-two years ago. He has been a successful merchant in Hartford, and has also been active in Republican politics. He was a delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1876, and was a member of the Republican National Committee from 1876 to 1880. He was elected to the Legislature in 1880, and was re-elected in 1881. He was a member of the Senate in 1882, and was re-elected in 1883. He was elected Governor in 1886, and was re-elected in 1887. He was elected Governor in 1888, and was re-elected in 1889. He was elected Governor in 1890, and was re-elected in 1891. He was elected Governor in

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CLOSE OF A DECADE OF CHARITY.

The Tenth Annual Report of the Plainfield Relief Association—What Noble Women Have Done and are Doing for the Association's Poor.

There has just been published in pamphlet form the tenth annual report of the Plainfield Relief Association, from which we take pleasure in quoting very extensively. We believe nothing could be more interesting to the people of Plainfield, and certainly the noble women whose work is therein recorded, deserve as widespread honor sure in our power to give.

The officers of the Association for the year 1888-89 are:

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The Secretary's report for the past year is as follows:

To the Officers, Members and Patrons of the Relief Association:

In behalf of the annual report of the Plainfield Relief Association, we are pleased to note signs of progress in all departments of the work, and to feel continued confidence and interest on the part of the public, as shown by generous contributions and cordial co-operation.

But we desire to call attention to the work of the Association more widely felt and known. To many citizens of Plainfield the existence of the organization is probably unknown. We could wish we were striving to do aught, what we seek to do distinctly, but if there be any truth in the adage, "In union is strength," then, probably, that truth is most clearly exemplified in such an association as this, where, with united aim and effort, we endeavor to relieve distress which, if attempted singly, might often prove most baffling.

We extend, therefore, a most cordial and earnest invitation to all to work with us in our efforts to better the conditions of the unfortunate classes who look to us for relief. In order to give an idea, so far as figures can, of the work of the year, we append the given date year, we submit the following summary:

At the beginning of the year, October 1st, 1887, there were on our visiting list consist of 15 families who were being visited by the Association. Since that time, 61 names have been added, making a total of 76 families. These are classed as follows:

Partially supported by City	19
Temporarily assisted on account of sickness	21
Having permanent relief from Association	36
Total	76

Classified as Ineligible or Doubtful 10

Mrs. B. J. Shivers, Secretary of Employment Bureau, reports as follows:

Number of families who have received	250
Number of applications for work	250
Number of persons represented	1,000
Americans	27
Germans	3
Irish	6
Scotch	2
Swedes	1
Canadians	1
Number of Garments made	1,200
Amount of sales from home factory work	$100 00
" " " " "	27 00
Total amount of sales	$127 00
Number of pounds of clothing given away	250
Number of cases in which poverty is the result of intemperance	6

The work that this branch of the Association has accomplished shows its great value, and the necessity of carrying it to a still greater degree of usefulness; but, unfortunately, the efforts in this direction are often crippled by lack of funds. Those who have been employed by the Association, may be found in the Employment Bureau.

The Van Vost Mission Industrial School has just completed its fifteenth year of work. The school has made steady progress, and has had a total enrollment of 1,000 pupils. The average attendance for 1873, and it has stands in our midst a most valuable auxiliary of the Relief Association. Miss Jennie V. Spencer, Superintendent of the school, reports an enrollment of 322 scholars; an average attendance of 160; number of classes, 20; teachers present every session, 17; visits to families about 500 each. The record exhibits many gratifying results.

We deeply regret to state that Mrs. F. Gardner, who for seven years has served the school most efficiently and faithfully as Superintendent, has been obliged to resign. During these seven years the school has been graded and well organized, the average attendance from 30 to 140, and the number of classes from 10 to 20.

We are glad to learn that industrial education has been inaugurated in Plainfield by the introduction of drawing into the public schools, which is to be very beneficial to the boys. Dr. Perry Smith, of Boston, according to the last report of the Industrial Education Association, has given instruction to 20,000 pupils in the public schools of Boston, being taught to sew, and in Boston seven-eighths of the girls were receiving similar instruction. This being compulsory, a sound basis of education is thus laid, be it private or charitable institution. Where the attendance is merely optional, the results are not so satisfactory.

Mrs. Charles T. Gill, the Superintendent of the Mothers' Class, reports that the result of the year's work has been most gratifying. The names of 18 women have been enrolled, and so far from thinking the attendance at the meetings irksome, they have been eager to come. Many have improved in sewing, which indicates much patience and a determined effort to make amends for the lack of early training. The women have made 46 garments, and the system of marks has added much to the interest of their work.

One of the features of the Association this year has been an evening school for boys, which was opened in the rooms of the Association in January. Owing to insufficient accommodations, the number of scholars had to be limited. Those who were regular attendants showed much a desire to improve that we feel warranted in making an attempt this Winter to establish the school upon a more permanent footing. Aside from the educational value of such an undertaking, the elevating influences that may be exerted upon the lives of those boys is alone worth the effort to add this school to our other charitable institutions. The school would be intended for such boys as are unable, owing to their occupations, to avail themselves of the advantages of the day school. Some of the scholars were hard-working boys, and three of this class were so anxious to progress in their studies that they continued them during the Summer. Miss Crocker, who presided the school, assisted by other teachers, reports the following: School opened January 2; closed April 4; school in session, 36 evenings; whole number of scholars enrolled, 30; greatest number present any evening, 14; least, 4; average attendance, 8.

Through the kindness of friends, the Association at Thanksgiving was enabled to supply 66 families with good, substantial cheer, and also at Christmas several contributions were received and distributed to the most needy of the beneficiaries.

In March, at the time of the great snow storm, a generous friend of the Association, in addition to his usual contribution, sent a check for $50, to be used for the relief of any cases of destitution among our beneficiaries.

The thanks of the Association are due to the press for favors throughout the year; to the physicians for medical aid furnished to our poor; to Messrs. Holmes and Hoagland, for gratuitous services; to the merchants for accommodating our bills; and, finally, to all, from whom we have received courtesies or aid, we gratefully tender our sincere thanks.

There is a certain class of unfortunates in the community, wards of the city, whom our Association can never hope to reach until we have a well arranged and conducted almshouse where they can be placed under mild restraint and properly cared for. They are their own worst enemies, suffering in many cases the result of dissipation and wrong doing; but whatever the cause of their present pitiable condition, we, as a humane city, are responsible for their well-being, and, until we have provided a refuge for them, we are answerable for the injury they may do themselves or others.

The problem of adequately relieving the poor becomes every year a greater one, demanding every effort of heart and brain. We should not be content simply to relieve present physical needs, but we should aim still higher by striving to raise the moral standard of those by which surrounds us. It is only by removing this cause, be it ignorance, improvidence, or the added burden of intemperance and crime, that we can ever hope permanently to relieve the poor and put them on a higher plane of living. To quote the words of one who is a fellow-worker: "This we cannot do by giving or withholding alms. It calls for a higher sacrifice; it demands a greater charity than that of silver and gold. It is for ourselves. We must go to the unfortunate as a friend, and as a friend show them the better way."

Respectfully submitted,
Florence Tyndy, Secretary.

MRS. TALMAGE'S REPORT.

The Treasurer reports as follows, in account with the Association from September 20, 1887, to September 27, 1888.

Cash on hand Sept. 20, 1887	$98 80
Subscriptions and donations	1,200 81
Collected on orders given by Overseer of the Poor	1,022 75
Employment Bureau	127 50
Mission Industrial School	4 00
Annual Collections—	
Crescent Avenue church	32 45
First Baptist church	36 00
Congregational church	17 00
Thanksgiving Collections—	
Methodist church	46 00
Crescent Avenue church	21 00
Total amount of receipts for the year	3,721 22
	$3,820 22

Disbursements.	
Dry Goods	$ 248 42
Groceries	1,128 21
Fuel	186 50
Rent	144 00
Sundries	41 00
Van Vost Mission and Industrial School	171 10
Employment	102 00
Stationery and printing	27 84
Horse hire	24 00
Sewing machine	34 00
Rent for poor, Jan. 1888	72 00
Rent for poor, Sept. 1888	36 00
To insure a poor family in Scotch Plains	6 00
Tickets for excursions to seaside	70 00
Sundries	29 00
Amount of disbursements	$2,549 34
Balance Sept. 27, 1888	140 78
	$3,690 12

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Van Vost Talmage, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.
H. P. Reynolds,
Sept. 27th, 1888. Auditing Committee.

The Association holds all moneys given by the city to the poor. This year, $1,000. It is not a gift from the city, but a reimbursement by the Association for the money given.

The Relief Association is supported wholly by voluntary contributions. To carry on its work with efficiency it requires a fair yearly income. Subscriptions and donations are solicited from the generous.

The Constitutionalist.

A. L. FONDE, } Editors and Proprietors. A. L. FONDE,

CHRISTMAS.

Twenty centuries on the earth,
Ere was recovery of a race or a birth
So important as this.
Like a star in the parched desert,
Like a shelt'ring stone from the storm-tossed mariner, the day of Christmas tells well for and hope human hearts in all lands and every station of life.

True, many, age very many, blessed by affection and wealth, or bringing to avoid poverty, cannot enjoy the festivities of the season the fiery ordeal of bereavement.

Yet, let this fact be remembered, that the babe born at Bethlehem, whose glorious advent Christmas commemorates, came to pardon and save, to uplift and befriend, to do lasting good to all humanity, of name or worldly station. That in his priesthood might the poor and humble were fully as precious in his sight and today.

Let us furthermore keep in our most remembrance, that to Christmas in reality we must be Christ-like, filled with charity, animated by a deep regard for the needs of others, willing to share with misfortune the blessings it possesses, and as life-tokens to discharge our duty, day by day, for the glory of God and the love of humanity.

Thus indeed will each returning Christmas be a season of sweet happiness, and the angels song be realized—"Peace on earth and good will to men."

To all, whether rich or poor, high or low, and totally oblivious of partisan and denominational name, we sincerely say—A Merry Christmas.

POLITICAL POISON.

The personal [illegible] engendered by the recent [illegible] of money in elections is widespread and virulent. Time obliterates more and more clearly the methods of bribery, which grew even to the extent of men selling themselves repeatedly, receiving high offices, including Cabinet positions, and then turning money invested in their own pockets, and thus reaping a double harvest of profit. Such crimes for the purpose of debauching with bribery the ballot boxes throughout the land, in close, doubtful and rural districts, wherever a chance could be found by city influences.

The prerogative of American citizenship bought and sold for a price.

What a degrading fact!

That the highest function his body for a pecuniary or monetary consideration of any kind is not worthy to enjoy the privilege of suffrage.

He ought to be disfranchised for these. Yet, as disreputable and disloyal to the principles of free government as the man who sells his vote may be, the purchaser is more guilty, for he has the wealth of both, time and political position by purchasing, if not vote, or forcing the desire for such purchase, to try for the greatest criminal.

Penal servitude would be his just due. We speak not against any party.

Both are equally the viciously disposed, and the greatest danger to our country, which is not only a disgrace to our time, but an imminent peril to the prosperity of our American glory heretofore, as free and intelligent popular sovereignty.

The Union League Club of the City of New York is hardly a political Republican organization, and it is satisfactory to note that at a recent meeting the league passed the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we have an abiding faith in the capacity and purpose of the Republican party to submit his own Christian principles to the people, and to appeal confidently to their support at every election, particularly from any quarter, and to entrust himself with Constitutional assurance that shall be true of large majority of applied to power, and that the Democratic party should be driven from power at the earliest possible moment by the votes of the intelligent electors of these principles, which have inaugurated and maintained in his administration, and we heartily endorse the stalwart efforts which are being made with undiminished importunity to free the land and for put upon him right of suffrage, and to punish with the severest penalties of the law all those who attempt by ignorance or of all classes, and by intimidation, bribery and fraud, to control the result. That such considerations as these ought to throw high and responsible appointments upon which the success of the impending Administration depends, and we earnestly protest against them.

Resolved, That President Harrison in the performance of his duties will be entitled to and will receive the cordial support of all his friends alike, but all official favors should be the claim of hard and honorable service.

Which would rule out several prominent aspirants.

Drowned Near Long Branch.

The members of the grand and petit juries from this city, drawn at Elizabethtown, are the bond list of our citizens that ever served in such capacities. They are as follows:

GRAND JURY.

Joseph Kinney, Isaac Burtis, John Lambert, M. H. Caldwell, L. W. Herrick, C. D. Crane.

PETIT JURY.

Second Ward—Charles E. Deane, C. A. Bayard, C. C. Sparks.

Third Ward—Charles F. Leggett, Joseph D. Potter, John J. Neary.

Fourth Ward—Robert Hoagland, Samuel Johnson, Arthur T. Dudley.

LOCAL OPTION IN SOMERSET COUNTY.

At the meeting of the Somerset County Court of Quarter Sessions, at Somerville, Tuesday Judge Magie heard arguments for and against the application for a license to sell spirituous liquors during Tuesday, May 14, 1889, as the day for holding the election.

When the case of Morris Nolan, informer for the Collector of Farmer Rate, at Bells Mead, was called, Bob. Alvah A. Clark, Counsel for the prisoner, objected that the entire panel of jurors, claiming that the list should contain 100 names, and that the panel was not there short. Judge Magie overruled the objection, and Tuesday, December 27, as the date upon which Nolan will be tried, and to which time he adjourned court.

—The Synod of N. J. Conference will meet in this city on April 2, and will be presided over by Stanley Matlack.

—Governor Green has ordered a new election in the Third District of Hudson County to elect the successor of Assemblyman Gregory City. The election will be held exclusively last Tuesday night was his choice. The date fixed is January 7, the same day that the Legislature may assemble.

THE WESTFIELD SCHOOL ELECTION.

Full Text of the Decision Rendered by Judge Depue.

The fact that, notwithstanding the erection of Harrison, a majority of the property tax rate at the present time was the result of the Board, I am evidently made it due to the premium on the public mind. That impression is strengthened by the fact that Cleveland's plurality in his defeat in 1884 was greater than it is now. The Republican, and Dr. Lowry's constituents to be a professional with quarterly, semi-annual and shorter, a glorious, and five full shortages.

Taken Off Watch on the Way to Prison.

A Novel Epilogue of the 30th.

New Year's day, 1882, will be undoubted in with more than the customary celebration. Besides the usual round of festivities of hockey and trimmings, the celestial feature of the day will be a total eclipse of the sun, visible, mainly on the Pacific coast, but partial throughout the entire United States.

A total eclipse of the sun, visible in the United States is an unusual occurrence, the last one visible in the West, California, Dakota and Nebraska the path in which the phase of totality will be visible, is a no more than one hundred and twenty miles wide.

As though gotten up specially for the occasion, the eclipse will strike our western observatories at the most favorable point on the [illegible] Lick observatory, where very elaborate preparations are being made for observations. The point of contract in the sun's west will be [illegible] after 4 o'clock. It will be partial in this part of New Jersey shortly before sunset.

Real Estate Transfers.

(From the Somerville Gazette.)

Property has recently changed hands in North Plainfield as follows, and the deeds for the same have been recorded in the County Clerk a office at Somerville:

Nov. 15—Lewis A. Updyke et ux. to Thomas Faber, Jr., to John McKenna, property in North Plainfield, $795.

Nov. 16—Wm. H. Smith et ux. to C. S. Dewey, property in North Plainfield, $1,650. C. S. Dewey to Ellen Smith, same property and consideration.

Nov. 17—Jacob Bergen et al. Wells to Caspar Widmer, property in North Plainfield, $3,300.

Nov. 12—C. Hyde et ux. to Jas. Whaled property in North Plainfield, $300.

Nov. 17—Caroline A. and Samuel Hudson to Caroline A. Green and W. J. Hoffman, property in North Plainfield, $2,000.

Nov. 19—James L. Longer et ux. to W. H. Longer, property in North Plainfield, $3,100.

Nov. 21—W. E. Marsh et ux. to Martha Chase, property in North Plainfield, $700.

A Donation to Theodore Thomas.

Mr. S. C. Post, Jr., of this city, has a relic in the shape of a discharge for his grandfather, who was a prisoner in the war of 1812. Daniel Post was one of other men were taken prisoners in the Civil war but he refused to accept his discharge until he was assured that the other prisoners would be released. Following is a fac-simile of Mr. Post's discharge:

By His Excellency Brigadier Gen'l John Murray, acting Governor and Commander-in-Chief of and over the settlement of Delaware and Susquehanna, with their dependencies &c.

Permission is hereby granted to Daniel Pica with to depart from this Colony in the Brig North Star, commanded by W. Waddle, and bound for Halifax. Given under all the formalities required by law.

Given under my hand and seal at the King's house in Georgetown, this 20th day of July 1813.

JNO. MURRAY, Brig. Gen'l.

Attest the Governor.

AN INTERESTING TAX CASE.

In St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church Property.

(From the Central Times.)

St. Mary's church was assessed by the Assessor, last May, upon a vacant lot located opposite the church. Grounds for this lot have been leased, the location laid for a school building. The building has since been completed and is now used as the parochial school, the expenses of which are borne by St. Mary's church.

Father Smyth, on behalf of the church, appealed to the commissioners of appeal for exemption from the tax. The appeal was argued before Judge Scudder, who declined to order in his wife. His speech last the form of a Fourth of July oration, but at times he became eloquent and impressive. He held that although the committee found that the balance of the $15,000 would give them an income sufficient to defray the building debt, which, all, no tuition for being charged. He testified that the buildings were used for religious purposes, in part, as there were services [illegible] times a day and religious instruction was imparted daily, and it was to impart such instruction that the school was founded.

Corporation Counsel March represented the city before the commissioners of appeal and held that the property was not exempt under the law. The assessment was made upon the lot only and before the buildings were erected. This year's assessment was affected by this fact, but the main question concerns the property as it now stands with the school building completed, and is it all to be exempt from taxation in the year 1888?

Father Smyth testified that such schools everywhere else are exempt. To enable him to furnish authorities and arguments in support of his appeal, an adjournment was made at Mr. March's request, for two weeks, of until next Wednesday, December 19.

TREACHEROUS TRAMPS.

Shortly before two o'clock of Monday morning, Mr. Cooley, the janitor, attempted to enter the Fanwood station, was made by a gang of burglars who also pretended to murder if necessary to accomplish his purpose.

Station Agent A. C. Brown, who, with his family, occupies the apartments over the station, was awakened by a noise at the door which opens from the outside of the building to the stairway leading to the apartments. The janitor was also awakened by a noise at the door. Some one was evidently trying to open it, but [illegible] the door was locked. Getting up and [illegible] to the door, he called out, "Who's there?" and received in reply a gruff voice, "Open the door, quick!" Supposing that it was the janitor, Brown made to getting up was probably heard, for from the outside came screams of

"MURDER!" "STATION AGENT!" "HELP!"

interspersed with groans and yells of the most harrowing nature. The speaker evidently was in great pain. Mr. Brown, [illegible] the door, called out to know what was the matter—claiming that he had been robbed of his watch and chain, and "cut" [illegible] and [illegible].

Failing in all such attempts to induce Agent Brown to open the door, those outside began a violent onslaught upon it, which would have succeeded in forcing an entrance had it not been for the timely arrival of Mr. James E. Fetcher, a neighbor, who, hearing the cries for assistance, dressed himself and hastened to the scene, and rushing to the door and supporting it to be stopped the adjoining residence of Dr. Oliver, [illegible] to that gentleman's assistance. By the time the latter three gentlemen were [illegible] the burglars who were forcing Agent Brown's door to fall.

All the tramps left were found to consist of an empty half-pint whiskey bottle with the name of F. Rose & Co., Elizabeth, N. J., [illegible] Mr. Vaughan, and [illegible] two revolving pistol stores of which was sufficient to keep Agent Brown's family out if bogged opened. A [illegible] of the footprints of the men's feet [illegible].

The whole affair was [illegible] carried out by [illegible] a large number of whom cooperate lightly to the janitor [illegible] and about the last one near the station. These hoboes [illegible] are [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

CITY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE, THE COUNTY AND THE CITY, AND HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY PAPER PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY OF UNION.

J. A. DEWARDT, ... City Editor.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS

Close—8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M., 6.30 P.M. & 12.00 M.
Arrive—7.30 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.30 P.M. & 10.30 P.M.

REGISTRY, MONEY, &c., MAILS.

Close—8.30 A.M. & 6.30 P.M.
Arrive—7.30 A.M. & 5.30 P.M.

CLOSE OF MAILS.

For the West, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M., 6.30 P.M. & 12.00 M.
For Boston, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M. & 6.30 P.M.
For Philadelphia, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M., 6.30 P.M. & 12.00 M.
For Washington, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M. & 6.30 P.M.
For Baltimore, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M. & 6.30 P.M.
For Newark, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M., 6.30 P.M. & 12.00 M.
For Elizabeth, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M., 6.30 P.M. & 12.00 M.
For Rahway, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M., 6.30 P.M. & 12.00 M.
For Perth Amboy, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M. & 6.30 P.M.
For Rahway Valley, 8.30 A.M. & 6.30 P.M.
For Staten Island, 8.30 A.M., 2.30 P.M. & 6.30 P.M.
For Europe (via Southampton and Bremen), 8.30 A.M. Tuesday, for letters only.
For Europe (via Queenstown), 8.30 A.M. Wednesday.
For Europe (via Liverpool), 8.30 A.M. Thursday.
For Europe (via Glasgow), 8.30 A.M. Saturday.
For Europe (via Havre), 8.30 A.M. Saturday.
For Europe (via Bremen), 8.30 A.M. Saturday.
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WOMEN AND THEIR SWORDS.

Fencing Is Becoming Popular as an Accomplishment.

Young Ladies Study the Foils Now Instead of Dancing—How the Art Is Taught—Some Famous Women Fencers.

A few months ago a New York World reporter called on Professor Leon Bertrand, a well-known fencing master, and found him in the midst of a class of young ladies, who were being put through the various movements of the foils. The professor was explaining to them the principles of the art, and the young ladies were listening with the most intense interest. The reporter was told that fencing was becoming a very popular accomplishment among young ladies, and that Professor Bertrand had a number of them in his classes. He was asked if he thought that fencing was a good exercise for women, and replied that he did. "I will admit," he said, "that it is not as graceful as dancing, but it is a much better exercise. It develops the muscles of the arms and chest, and gives a woman a fine figure. Besides, it is a splendid accomplishment for a young lady to have. Many of my pupils are taking lessons simply for the sake of learning the art, and not because they intend to make any practical use of it. Others, however, are taking lessons because they are afraid of burglars, and want to be able to defend themselves in case they are attacked. I have had a number of ladies in my classes who have purchased foils and masks, and practiced with gentlemen friends in their parlors. Some of them have become very proficient, and I have no doubt that they could defend themselves very successfully in case of an attack. Fencing is a very healthful exercise, and I would like to see more ladies practicing it."

W. H. GARNUM.

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MISS BOYS'S STREET MARKET.

Vegetables, with Odd Names, That Are Sold There.

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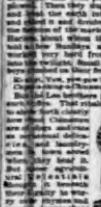

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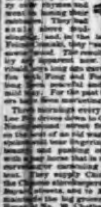

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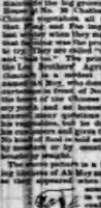

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A WOMAN'S STRENGTH.

A WOMAN'S WEAKNESS.

A WOMAN'S TENDERNESS.

A WOMAN'S BEAUTY.

A WOMAN'S GRACE.

A WOMAN'S DEVOTION.

A WOMAN'S MODESTY.

A WOMAN'S PURITY.

A WOMAN'S PERFECTION.

A WOMAN'S DOMESTICITY.

Cub Has Found Fur by Its Parents in the Snow.

A writer in Forest and Stream describes the cunning fur by its parents in a Canadian forest.

There was a deep basin filled with snow, and in the middle of it a small mound. Around this had come large pieces of birch dropped by the moose as he broke off the tender twigs to serve as food for the cub. At the first sight of the basin the female gave an exclamation of delight, and, without waiting for the male, sprang into the middle of it. Of course every inch was in, and as she floundered about in the soft snow she rolled over and over, and finally, as she emerged, she had presently to dive into his pockets and explore the corners for the pieces of sugar that were always carried there. Then she would sit down and eat it with great relish, and then would come another roll in the snow, and another hunt of some kind. Finally it began to pay around her, but she would not leave herself any concave to shelter her, and the cub followed her example. Finally it began to approach the basin, and when it came to the edge it stopped and looked at the female, but she did not follow. Then it began to walk around the basin, and at last it got into the middle of it. Then it began to roll over and over, and to dive into the snow, and to hunt for sugar, and to play with its mother, and to act in every way as if it had been in the basin all its life. Then the female began to approach the mound, and the cub followed her. She went around it, and the cub followed her. She went around it again, and the cub followed her. She went around it again, and the cub followed her. She went around it again

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It is rather difficult to get an exact idea of what the dragons were like, but that something can be learned. According to the Chinese dragon hunters, the dragons which they are described as resembling their young and as uttering a wailing cry. The Apocalypse of St. John and half the writers of different parts of the Bible the same thing of the dragon, and from this and other sources, to that one is altogether in doubt whether it is a land or marine beast in

THE CHINESE DRAGON.

is referred to. In mediæval mythology the dragon is a fantastic animal of immense power and cruelty, with fiery breath, with wings, thorny crests, powerful claws, and deadly tail and nostrils. It is the type of the literature of the East, in that of Greece and Rome, and of the Middle Ages, and every time it was described it was, like the sea serpent, described differently. In the Apocalypse, for instance, it is the prince habitant was the mark of quagmire, the beast which should be resurrected. They were nearly all represented, too, to have had no objects of worship, like borrowing their scaly coolers at every bend.

A peculiar species of dragon studied the ancient Greeks and Romans, and which crossed basilisk, the terror of both men and the beasts of the field, and which was a special life with a glance of its eye. By some it was said to have been a serpent, and to be so large that they idled elephants with ease. One that haunted the neighborhood of Cadmus was so large that it took forty feet long. Dragons were, however, by no means confined to the fantastic marches of the hot zones. The scales of northern Europe and the monsters of the Nile had much in common in shape, size, and outrageously disgusting. The "worm of Lambton," which ravaged England "nobody was so, today," was a dragon. The "worm of Linton" was a dragon. The first recorded instance of such an encounter is that of Sir Bevis of Hampton, in England, in the reign of the cheerful wildfowl which he had to

When the dragon that made ye
Had a supper on the slain,
He came upon a lonely grave,
As he looked around in his pain;
He raised here before the sun
He found a lovely lady there,
Who lay bound with iron chains,
And her name was Josyan.

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THE NEW YEAR.

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We are now on the eve of 1884, memorable as the year of the inauguration of George Washington as first President of the United States.

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What an interesting fact, and how solemnly should it inspire the minds of every patriot to contemplate that the grand republican principles that the Father of our Country Washington was instrumental in establishing and fitting shall never be surpassed by innovation, or tarnished by profligacy of any name or nature.

Our system of popular government has planted heavenly through many dangerous shoals, and perils of many kinds, and through its and foreign, and continues to flourish and grow in power and prosperity to that proportion which is in the practical observance of the wisdom and virtue of the Fathers of the Republic.

That is a vital duty of the people.

The old year is dying.

Like all preceding years it has been a year of joy and sorrow, of prosperity and adversity, of marriages and funerals, recitations and rejoicings, of pleasures and pains, of disappointments here kept records of almost every one of these events, and as each year was closing passed in review before us.

Now, as the old year is dying, and the new year is ushered in, we look back upon the past with feelings of gratitude to the Giver of all good for the many blessings we have received at His hands during the year, and we look forward to the future, and resolve, as an aggregate of humanity we wish all our patrons and friends

A Happy New Year.

BALLOT BOX PROTECTION.

We are glad to notice that Mr. Edwards, of Indiana, has introduced into the National House of Representatives a bill to punish and prevent the fraudulent and illegal use of the United States in connection with elections for Presidential Electors and Members of Congress.

A synopsis of the bill is as follows:

That it shall be unlawful for any person to solicit or receive, directly or indirectly, or to be in any manner concerned with or connected in receiving or counting any such vote, subscription, or contribution of money or of anything of value, to be applied directly or indirectly in any manner whatever in any election for President and Vice President of the United States, or for Senator or Representative in the Congress of the United States, or in the National Nominating Convention of any party to name, or to assist in any manner in the election of any such officers, or in the election of any such Senator, Representative, or Delegate.

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Such is a timely movement, and every honest man in Congress ought to vote for giving the provisions of Mr. Holman the widest possible circulation.

It is a burning disgrace to the American name that elections are controlled by the corrupt use of money, and that base political bullyism in corruption have the audacity to demand high official place as a reward for their nefarious services.

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Advices have reached this city concerning the tragic death of Mr. Henry Hoyt, formerly a resident of this city, who left Wood a few months ago, and secured a position as brakesman on the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad, which consisted at of 60 miles per hour when he visited the premises of Thomas Lacy 2 or 3 miles from Wood, and the conductor on the train, of which he was one of the crew, were putting on the brakes when the brakesman, in the hurry of the moment, forgot to uncouple the car containing three cattle and ran, and killing two. A mother, one brother and several sisters of the deceased, reside in this city. The funeral of Mr. Hoyt, Board of Wood Sexton street, is also a sister.

Prayer Meeting.

There was a fair attendance in Barbour Hall Sunday night, Vice President Harper occupied the chair,

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W. L. PRICE, Postmaster.

—On the V. M. C. A. building.

The Y. M. C. A. Building at Omaha, Nebraska, was dedicated, Dec. 4, free, with land, $110,000.

—Remember the Y. M. C. A.—To-day, January 1, two till ten o'clock P. M. Even greater success than last year.

—The Crescent will be open for roller skating on Monday night and Tuesday afternoon and evening, as usual.

—The recent fireman's fair netted for the several organizations, under whose joint auspices the fair was held, about $500.

—The Oriental Social Club will give a grand ball in the new Sergeant and Tomes Hall, in North Plainfield, Thursday evening, January 10.

—Subscriptions are due on Feb. 15 this year, and, coming so early, increases the season for society events materially as compared with some other years.

—It is understood that the Board of Freeholders of North Plainfield will be increased to nine next year. The present number five is above 500.

—Look out for burning kitchen ranges. If the coal is allowed to run freely there is cold mornings, lighting a fire is about as risky as lighting a match.

—It is said that the city will be asked to appropriate $1,000 to the Associated Boards of Freeholders and subscribe above County Commissioners.

—The paths of the clergymen, the janitors of the power houses, the policemen and firemen, all they all join hands when it comes to doubling up humanity.

—At the residence of the bride's parents, at Mt. Bethel, on Monday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, Miss Lizzie Mansfield and Mr. Jacob Ryman will be united in marriage.

—The collector of Taxes for Fanwood, Scotch Plains and Scotch Plains No. 1 is in Justice Nash's office in the Crescent, and the Justice on Friday issued a warrant for the collection of the same.

—The waterfire drinks in this city are kept busy at this season of the year. In receiving and forwarding holiday presents, both the receiving and outgoing mails are unusually large.

—Mr. "Dan" Vincent, the North avenue caterer, has purchased of his restaurant business to Mr. G. S. Morley of Dunellen. The new man will take possession of the place Monday.

—Many strangers have come to this city within the past few days, to make their holiday selections. The merchants of both city and suburbs, as usual, and counsequently attract many buyers.

—The people are agitating another school meeting to remember the matter of organization of a new school district, and to be used in the construction of the new school building in Westfield.

—It will be well to remember that the Legislature made the 30th of next April a legal holiday in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the first inauguration of General Washington as President.

—For a New Year gift, a wedding gift, or a present for the home, you will call at Swain's on West Front street and it is certain you will find a beautiful stock from which to make selections.

—The Fanwood Literary Club now has a membership of 37, and is steadily increasing. The Club includes members from Fanwood, Crescent, Scotch and Plainfield, but no other places a few more members are wanted.

—All the druggists, captains, etc., in Sullivan's saloon on West Third street, were destroyed by the fire which destroyed the building. Mr. Sullivan owned the place, on their return from the fire on Plainfield avenue. No alarm was given.

—Jan. 1, 1889, a Happy New Year will be wished all over the world. The Constitutionalist by the invisible and fleet-footed Time, Chas. S. Cook, and your liberality will bring a bewildering smile to his face, which will be a joy to behold.

—Sparks from a lighted pipe set fire to the carpet in the dwelling house at No. 46 Plainfield avenue, on Sunday afternoon, and did about $100 damage before the flames were extinguished. The house is owned by Mrs. Ann Bullock.

—The Fanwood Literary Club and Miss Emma Ford, assisted at the piano. During the evening refreshments were served, and the evening was pleasantly spent, dancing from a hair-pin to a slipper.

—A fine watch and a handsome bright, gold chain, on exhibition at West Third street near Grant avenue, on Saturday morning. The building is now recently put up by Messrs Mosher & Bradfield, and was completely damaged before the fire was extinguished.

—Rev. Wm. Bentley, pastor of the Episcopal church in Bloomfield, N. J., has been extended a call to the vacant pastorate of All Souls' Episcopal church at Orange, and will probably accept the call and permanently locate at the "Falls."

—There will be shouting at the Middlesex Gun Club grounds on New Year's Day.

In the morning, at 9 o'clock, four of the members in equal of 25 birds each, for a purse, a match at 50 birds each, for $50 a side. In the afternoon there will be shooting at live and inanimate targets.

—A number of the young people in North Plainfield have been getting a series of entertainments at the residence of Mr. Connolly, which have proved a good deal of fun for the participants. The last one was in the nature of a surprise party, and was held at the residence of Mister Carl Brown on Grove street. The young people present enjoyed an evening of unalloyed pleasure.

—The Board of Education held a session on Monday evening, and organized for the ensuing year by the election of the following officers:

President—Jacob Schenck.
Secretary—Jacob Schenck.
Treasurer—Jacob Schenck.

The office of City Superintendent was not filled, as Rev. Dr. L. L. Mumford was not desirous to be re-elected to the office. The next meeting will be held

Personals.

Miss Nellie Hosier of West Fifth street will give an informal social on New Year's eve.

Engineer Erwin of the Electric Light station, entertained a few of his friends at Masonic Temple, on Monday, 24th inst.

Rev. Mr. Bellows of Philadelphia, conducted Christmas services in All Saints' church at South Plainfield, Tuesday.

It is surprising to see the large number of young ladies who congregate in the postoffice every evening and chew gum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashbrook, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McClelland of Watchung avenue.

Messrs. Charles Smith and Thomas Kellen, both of this city, have their portraits in the New York *Illustrated News* this week.

An evening notable will be given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Boehm, No. 7 West Front street, on New Year's night.

Miss Emma A. Martin of Newark, spent Christmas with her cousins, the Misses Martin of Somerset street, North Plainfield.

While City Judge Scudder, is absent in Chicago on professional business, the evil-doers are arraigned before His Honor, the Mayor.

Mr. Charles W. Stone of New York, was in town on Tuesday of his brother, Mr. Elijah Stiles of Somerset street, North Plainfield.

Justice S. R. Hope of the Bryant school of Music, has returned from Europe. Friday, of a long course of money from the teachers in the school.

Mrs. Albertus Nelson, of East Fifth street, is compelled to use crutches, the result of a severe sprain her ankle so badly that she cannot use it.

An evening accident will be held at the residence of Mr. I. H. Boehm, No. 7 West Front street, on Thursday evening, January 3, New Year's night.

Mr. Thomas Clark of this city, last evening received his teachers entitling him to a commission as notary, injuries he received during the late war.

Bishop Scarborough will be at the residence of Mr. J. J. M. Pullen on Saturday afternoon, and will be glad to be happy to see all his friends on that evening.

The rank of Knight was conferred on Messrs Elmer E. Compton and Jacob Jones in a recent session of Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., at its rooms, 19th inst.

Mrs. Mary Shaughy, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who recently came to Plainfield to visit her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert VanNest, of Somerset street, is lying dangerously ill at the residence of the latter.

Mr. S. V. Woodruff, formerly of the Hotel Netherwood, is now Manager of the Hotel Richelieu, Notre Dame Street, Montreal, which is asserted to be "one of the most convenient and elegantly appointed hotels in the Dominion."

An entertainment was held at the residence of Mr. Fox on West Fifth street, Tuesday night. A large number of young people were present from this city and North Plainfield, and all were delighted in and a good time was had by all.

Mr. Ernest O. Chamberlin, a High School graduate of this city and now one of the proprietors of the New York *Sun*, is the author of that paper's present despatches from Indianapolis, relating to President-elect Harrison's daily life and future plans.

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The outgoing mail of Christmas gifts, recently, from the Plainfield office, easily exceeded all past years, as is shown by the largely increased receipts for postage stamps.

Since application has been made for the appointment of commissioners of highways, to extend North avenue, in Westfield, Mr. Levi Hatt, through whose land the new road is to run, has had a force of workmen engaged in building an extension to his new residence, which project is into the proposed route.

A number of the grocers of this city met in the Republican Association rooms Friday night, to form a Grocers' Protective Union. The attendance was small, owing to the extreme cold weather, but the object of the organization were talked over, and adjournment was made until Friday evening next.

Mr. Emly R. Smith, druggist of Princeton, and a nephew of Mr. George W. Grant of this city, stepped off a train at that city, Tuesday evening of last week, and started to cross the tracks.

He was struck by the fast fourteen express of the Pennsylvania railroad, and received some injuries, receiving injuries that subsequently proved fatal.

On 18th inst. the Providence Insurance Co., of Washington, of which Mr. William Woodruff of this city is agent, paid Mr. Nicholas Gaston $250 in full for the company's insurance on his barn that burned Friday last.

The same day, the same agent paid Mr. Wm. Hay, the owner of the house that was also burned, $250 which was the amount of his insurance in the Phenix, of Brooklyn.

The Crescent presented an old-time appearance on Saturday afternoon. The management responded to repeated calls for the opening of the rink and about 150 persons appeared for skates. The band played four measures music which helped to enliven the scene. Upon the floor were noticed many lovers of the sport who are not usually seen on opportunity offered, while others contented themselves with watching from the dress circle seats. Even the city boys kept within bounds. The rink is reported all on each other in high glee.—*Central Times.*

During the afternoon and evening on Sunday—New Year's Day—the skating surface of The Crescent will undoubtedly be filled. There will be free music and a crowd of the best people, little and big.

The Twentieth Anniversary of Howell Division, Sons of Temperance, of this city, is to be celebrated with banqueting on Tuesday evening next. Invitations have been extended to divisions in neighboring towns and cities to participate.

Howell Division was organized by Grand Worthy Patriarch, Edward E. Drake, in 1868, and has had quite a prosperous career. Past Worthy Patriarch Thomas Frazee, of Division No. 36, had a long and useful existence.

Howell Division has on its roll the following gentlemen: Rev. R. B. Thomas, Judge Nathan Harper, S. R. Scribner, Rev. A. M. Palmer, Sarah Mallett, Wm. E. Mosher, John B. Naylor, Wm. B. Ayres, Orrin H. Lowe, Charles Hoffman, Mrs. Laura Mason, Alvin R. Chickering, Thos. Content, Hannah E. Ayres, Bertrude Ritchie, Mrs. J. C. Macomber, Chester W. Fisher.

—Plainfield can lay claim to the State in the number of residents in the Senate and office in the Winter.

VIRTUE, MERCY AND CHARITY.

The Seventh Annual Report of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum—The Officers for the Ensuing Year.

About one hundred members and guests of the Plainfield Council of the Royal Arcanum, sat down to its seventh annual dinner, on Tuesday evening, 18th inst. at 9 P. M., in the dark House. It was beside a board of unusual length, which was loaded with the

bountiful repast that exceeded dinners of the past in detail, Drenks respectively to Director, Brooklyn's swell eatery, and the Office of Arcanum Supreme Vice Regent-elect, E. W. Conklin, Past Regents W. J. Leonard and Rev. E. M. Roman, and Messrs P. A. Enemoda and C. J. Feytel.

The tables were spread in the main dining room of the hotel, and at each plate was a small bouquet. Flowers with fruit, were also a part of the table decoration. At the head of the room was seated Rowland M. Stover, Regent of the Plainfield Council, and on his right and left hand respectively were Past Grand Regent and Representative of the Supreme Council, Charlock, of Elizabeth, and District Deputy Grand Regent, Kerr, of Plainfield.

On the right and left of these distinguished guests were the Regent of Howell Council, and Vice Regent-elect Edwin W. Conklin, Orator, Rev. Edward Love and Chaplain-elect Hon. Erskine M. Rodman of Plainfield. Upon the right hand present were Past Regent W. J. Leonard, Secretary R. A. Thorne, Collector L. M. Stover, Treasurer, T. R. Cone, Warden C. J. Feytel, Trustee Oliver Marsh, and three others elect: Doctor S. C. Baker, Treasurer John H. Van Winkle, Sentry E. E. Anthony, Organist Robert Lowry, Jr., and Trustee Albertus Brush.

The dinner was served according to the following bill of fare, and during its progress of over two hours, all thoroughly enjoyed the good things of each course as well as the pleasant intercourse of one another:

MENU.

OYSTERS.
Nine Points, Half Shell.
CLAMS.
Little Necks.
Green Turtle, a la Maryland.
SOUPS.
Julienne Pure.
Lobster Pure a la Parisian.
ENTREES.
Chicken Croquettes, a la Macedoine.
Sweetbreads, Financiere.
Fillet of Beef, a la Sanitol en.
VEGETABLES.
French Peas. Potato Croquettes.
Boiled Tomatoes.
ROMAN PUNCH
Fruit.
Fruit of Canton Ginger Rock, a la Swiss.
SALADS.
Chicken Salad Mayonnaise.
RELISHES.
Olives. Chow Chow.
DESSERT.
Iced Cream—Fancy Fruit Cake
Fancy Mixed Cake
Fruits. Coffee

At eleven o'clock Regent Stover arose in his place and addressed some very brief but pointed words of welcome to the visiting brethren and the outside friends of the members. Cheers were passed, and all present settled back in their chairs preparatory to the enjoyment of the feast of after-dinner wit and humor that is expected on all such occasions and never more thoroughly realized than upon this.

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The following officers were installed

THE SONG OF SONGS.

This is what Dante's name of woman,
And what Shakespeare's name of woman,
And what Goethe's name of woman,
Is the name of woman in Iceland.

Some say beauty is good on Sundays
And other days you can't tell much about it,
But I say it is good every day in the week,
And I would like to see the man who says it isn't.

Some say beauty is a snare,
And I wouldn't say the snare isn't pretty,
But I say it is a pretty snare,
And I would like to be caught in it.

Some say beauty is a rose,
And I say it is a rose,
And I would like to be the bee that gets the honey.

Some say beauty is a flower,
And I say it is a flower,
And I would like to be the bee that gets the honey.

Some say beauty is a jewel,
And I say it is a jewel,
And I would like to be the man who finds it.

Some say beauty is a treasure,
And I say it is a treasure,
And I would like to be the man who finds it.

Some say beauty is a pearl,
And I say it is a pearl,
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Some say beauty is a diamond,
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Some say beauty is a ruby,
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Some say beauty is an emerald,
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Some say beauty is a topaz,
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Some say beauty is a turquoise,
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ABOUT GRIZZLIES.

His Bears That Manifested Neighborly Propensities.

"Man of Letters" Tells About Several Bear and His Theories of the Friendly Instincts That Theodore Experienced.

What Nimble Jimmy's bride about bears and I should suppose, and when he puts his head down all the Wild river bears may come and climb all over him. I'm not afraid of bears, and I'm not afraid of anything else, for that matter, except a mouse. I'm afraid of mice. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg and get into my pocket. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg and get into my pocket and eat my money. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg and get into my pocket and eat my money and then run down my leg and get out of my boot and run away. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg and get into my pocket and eat my money and then run down my leg and get out of my boot and run away and never come back. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg and get into my pocket and eat my money and then run down my leg and get out of my boot and run away and never come back and tell its friends about it. I'm afraid of a mouse because I'm afraid it will run up my leg and get into my pocket and eat my money and then run down my leg and get out of my boot and run away and never come back and tell its friends about it and they will all come and run up my leg and get into my pocket and eat my money and then run down my leg and get out of my boot and run away and never come back and tell their